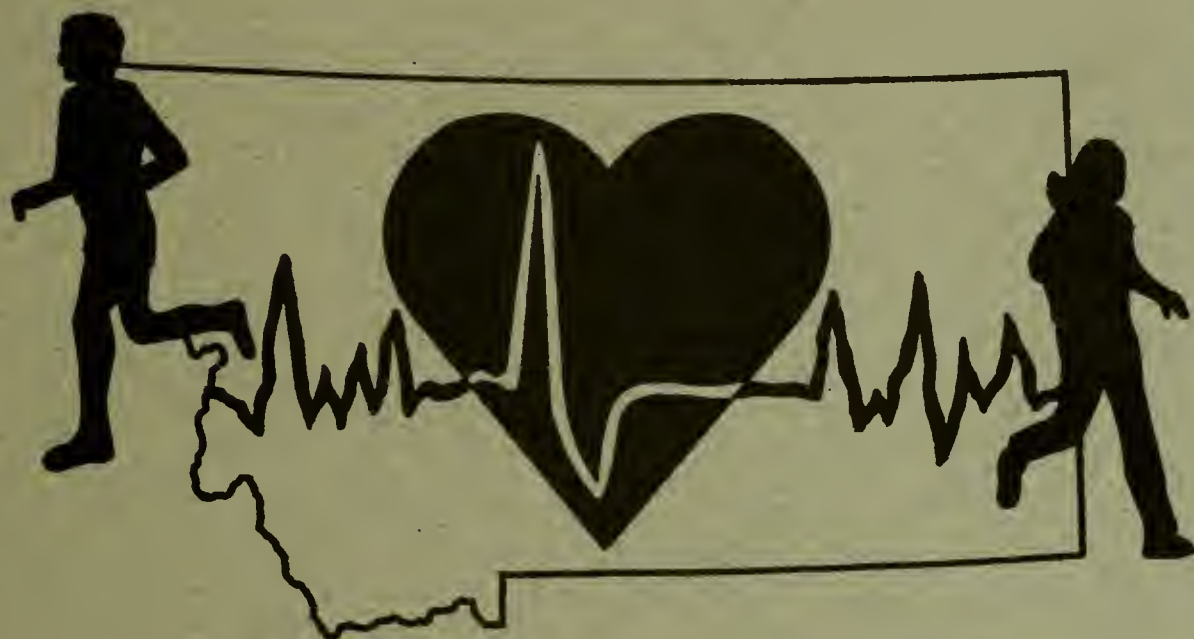


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This is the 2004 publication of the **Montana County Health Profiles**. The Health Planning Section will update the Montana County Health Profiles (*Profiles*) every other year, based on the most recent available data. The *Profiles* give health providers, planners, and other policy makers consistent data for identifying health needs and evaluating plans and programs. An introductory section, "Definitions, Sources and Data Use Notes," defines the indicators and identifies the data sources. *Profiles* users are encouraged to refer to this section when using these data.

We recognize that this publication will not meet the needs of every planner or policy maker and will continue to be limited in the amount of information that can be presented in a concise format. However, we want the *Profiles* to be as useful as possible and welcome all comments and suggestions for improvement.

Minimal changes were made to the **2004 Montana County Health Profiles**:

- Employment by industry classification was changed by the federal government. Please refer to the Data Definitions for details.
- The age-adjusted heart disease death rate was added.
- Enumeration of personal care homes was replaced with assisted living facilities.
- The list of web-links was eliminated, due to the transitory nature of web addresses.

The Health Planning Section of the Public Health System Improvement and Preparedness Bureau maintains and distributes sets of the County Health Profiles as reference documents and will provide individual county profiles as separate sheets. The Montana County Health Profiles are also available on the division website below or by calling (406) 444-2973.

www.dphhs.state.mt.us/services/statistical_information/statistical_information.htm

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DATA DEFINITIONS, SOURCES AND DATA-USE NOTES

Data Year: Most County Health Profile information is based on events occurring in calendar year 2002, which is the most current data year, or an average of years 1998-2002. Census population *estimates* were used for 1998-2002 in determining five-year rates (U.S. Bureau of the Census: 1998-99 estimates released March 2000; 2000-02 estimates released September 2004). Certain data items report *enumerations* from the 2000 Census (U.S. Bureau of the Census). Medicaid data reports enumerations from the 2003 state fiscal year (July 1, 2002 to June 30, 2003).

Data Sources: The specific sources of data are indicated below, with the data definitions. In general, vital data on reported pregnancy outcomes, births, and deaths were provided in electronic files by the Office of Vital Statistics, Montana Department of Public Health and Human Services (DPHHS). The Office of Vital Statistics receives reports on live births and fetal deaths for all Montana residents and induced abortions occurring within the state. There is no provision for reporting spontaneous abortions (miscarriages), regardless of where they occur, or induced abortions that occur outside Montana. Fetal deaths are reportable only after the fetus has reached 350 grams or, if the weight is unknown, 20 weeks of gestation.

Population data came from the Census and Economic Information Center (CEIC), Montana Department of Commerce, and the U.S. Census Bureau, in the format of downloadable files.

Data Reliability: Many Montana counties have small populations and, therefore, the number of events in a given year, or even when summed over several years, are small. Because of the small number of events, rates based on these numbers are likely to be unstable, varying substantially between years or over longer periods of time. To assist in interpreting these rates, we have generally provided rates that are averaged over a five-year period, 1998-2002, and provided the absolute number of events in parentheses next to the rate. Users of County Health Profiles are cautioned that these data are not intended for forecasting.

Death Rates: This document reports crude death rates throughout (except heart disease, where both a crude and age-adjusted rate are reported). Comparison of crude rates over time or between populations may be misleading if significant differences exist in the demographics (e.g., age, race) of the populations being compared; observed differences in rate may result solely from population differences. Nonetheless, crude rates characterize the experience of a population at a given point in time and are useful for planning and funding purposes.

County Description

Health Department and Health Officer: From listings maintained by the Montana Department of Public Health and Human Services (DPHHS) Public Health and Safety Division, updated May-August 2004.

Reservation: The presence of a reservation is indicated for the primary county of American Indian (one race) residence for all Montana reservations. For reservations located in more than one county, the reservation is noted when the American Indian (one race) population of the county is greater than the Montana average (6.4%).

National Priorities List (NPL) Superfund Site: Information on active sites in Montana is from the Environmental Protection Agency website, accessed in August 2004. The National Priorities List is a published list of hazardous waste sites in the U.S. eligible for comprehensive, long-term cleanup under the Superfund program. Listing on the NPL makes a site eligible to receive Superfund monies for cleanup; however, listing does not automatically qualify sites for funding.

Metropolitan Area: As defined by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Metropolitan-Nonmetropolitan System. OMB standards generally provide that each metropolitan area must include at least: a) one city with 50,000 or more inhabitants, or b) a Census Bureau-defined urbanized area (of at least 50,000 inhabitants) and a total metropolitan population of at least 100,000 (75,000 in New England). By definition, the entire county containing the qualifying city/area is included as part of the metropolitan area. Metropolitan counties are not synonymous with wholly urban counties (as defined by the U.S. Census) and can contain significant rural populations. By this definition, Cascade County is "Metropolitan" (population density 29.5/sq. mi.) while Silver Bow County is "Nonmetropolitan" (population density 46.6/sq. mi.). See also "Population Density and Status" below.

Demographics

Population Density and Status: Population density is the calculated number of persons per square mile, based on the U.S. Census estimate of county population in 2002 and report of county size. An area is "Frontier" if the population density is 6 or fewer persons per square mile. A "Rural" area has more than 6 and fewer than 50 persons per square mile. All Montana counties, except Yellowstone, are rural or frontier as defined by population density. These designations were developed by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Bureau of Primary Health Care (1986). A more detailed designation of

frontier-rural-urban status can be found at the University of Washington's Rural Health Research Center website (www.fammed.washington.edu/wwamirhrc).

Urban Population Percent: The percent of the population living in Urbanized Areas or Urban Clusters (defined by the U.S. Bureau of the Census) from a CEIC table of the Census 2000 Montana population. Urban Area and Urban Cluster boundaries encompass densely settled territories consisting of:

- Core census block groups or blocks that have a population density of at least 1,000 people per square mile and
- Surrounding census blocks that have an overall density of at least 500 people per square mile.

Additionally, an Urbanized Area must have a population of at least 50,000 people. An Urban Cluster must have a population of at least 2,500 and less than 50,000. All other territory is classified "Rural."

Population Gender, Age, and Race: From the U.S. Census estimates of the 2002 county and state population, released in September 2004. "White" and "American Indian" race categories include those of one race only; "Other" includes all other single race persons as well as those indicating two or more races.

Educational Attainment: From the 2000 U.S. Census enumerations of counties and state.

Employment by industry: Lists the three largest industries in the county/state in terms of the percent of all full- and part-time jobs in the year 2002 (listed from largest to smallest); it includes both wage/salary employment and proprietors' employment.

Since 2001, employment by industry data have been reported using a new classification system, the North American Industrial Classification System (NAICS). Prior to 2001, employment by industry data were reported by the Standard Industrial Classification System (SIC). Data from the two classification systems *cannot be directly compared*. For example, even though both systems include categories titled manufacturing, the industries included within each category are different. The U.S. Census Bureau's NAICS website clarifies the differences between the two classification systems.

The statement "Incomplete data" in this section means information about the number of jobs was not available for *more than one industry* in the county (to avoid disclosure of confidential information) *and* the missing information corresponded to more jobs than the next largest industry (with number of jobs reported). Therefore, industries listed after the statement "Incomplete data" are the largest industries for which the number of jobs was reported; industries listed prior to this statement are accurate in their rank order. *Percents* associated with *all* listed industries *are accurate* because the total number of jobs in each county was available. However, in two cases in this document an estimated percent (indicated by the symbol "~") is reported for incomplete data, based on additional information.

"Notable others" are additional industries that comprise at least ten percent of full- and part-time jobs in the county.

Data are from the Regional Economic Information System of the U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis and were released May 25, 2004.

Unemployment Rate: 2003 unemployment data tabulated for each county by the Montana Department of Labor and Industry, Research & Analysis Bureau (March 2004).

Median Household Income: From the 2000 U.S. Census, 50% of the households in the county/state reported this total annual income or less in 1999.

Per Capita Income: Per capita income in 2002 is the mean income computed for every man, woman, and child in a particular group (in this case, each county and the state). It is computed by dividing the total income of the group by the number of individuals in the group. Data are from the Regional Economic Information System of the U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis.

Percent of the Population Below the Federal Poverty Level: Poverty status is shown in two ways:

- 1) *By age group* lists four age groups (including the total area population "All ages") and indicates the percent of people in each age group living below the federal poverty level in 1999. "18+ " means individuals eighteen years of age and older, including those 65 and older.
- 2) *By income as a percent of the federal poverty level* lists four categories of the ratio of income in 1999 to the federal poverty level (FPL). For example, income equal to the federal poverty level (ratio 1.0) is 100% of the FPL, income half of the federal poverty level (ratio 0.5) is 50% of the FPL, income 1.5 times the federal poverty level is 150% of the FPL. The percent of the population living below each of the four income categories is indicated.

These data are from the U.S. Census 2000 Summary File 3 (SF3) data and are based on reported income in 1999.

Percent of Population with Health Care Costs Covered by a Government Payor: The percent of the population on Medicaid is the count of persons enrolled in Medicaid for a minimum of one month during the 2003 state fiscal year (July 1,

2002 to June 30, 2003) divided by the 2002 Census population estimate for the area. An individual is counted for each county of enrollment (duplicated) but only once (unduplicated) for the total state enrollment. The Medicaid Services Division of DPHHS provided these data.

The percent of the population on Medicare is the count of all Montana-resident beneficiaries with any type of Medicare coverage during the month of June 2002 (mid-year) and not known to be deceased as of June 1, 2002, divided by the 2002 Census population estimate for the area. Medicare data were provided by the Mountain Pacific Quality Health Foundation.

Percent of the Population with a Disability: From the 2000 U.S. Census, this measure indicates disability of the civilian, non-institutionalized population 21 years and older. People 5 years old and over are considered to have a disability if they have one or more of the following: (a) blindness, deafness, or a severe vision or hearing impairment; (b) a substantial limitation in the ability to perform basic physical activities, such as walking, climbing stairs, reaching, lifting, or carrying; (c) difficulty learning, remembering, or concentrating; or (d) difficulty dressing, bathing, or getting around inside the home. In addition to the above, people 16 years old and over are considered to have a disability if they have difficulty going outside the home alone to shop or visit a doctor's office, and people 16-64 years old are considered to have a disability if they have difficulty working at a job or business.

Live Births and Deaths per 1,000 Population: Number of vital events (births or deaths) occurring in the five-year period, 1998-2002, divided by the total area midyear population and multiplied by 1,000. Births are enumerated by the mother's county of residence; deaths by the decedent's county of residence. Data are from the Office of Vital Statistics, DPHHS.

Median Age by Gender and Race: The midpoint in the range of ages (i.e., 50% of the persons in the category were the median age or older). "White" and "Am Ind" include those of one race only. Data are from the U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Median Age at Death: The midpoint in the range of ages at death (i.e., 50% of the persons in the category were the median age or older at the time of death). Either racial category may include "Hispanic"; "All" also includes unknown race. Data are from the Office of Vital Statistics, DPHHS, for the five-year period 1998-2002.

Health Status Indicators

Fertility Rates: The *teen fertility rate* per 1,000 population is the five-year (1998-2002) sum of births to females aged 15 to 19 divided by the five-year sum of females in the population aged 15 to 19, multiplied by 1,000. The *fertility rate for all women* is the five-year (1998-2002) sum of births to all females divided by the five-year sum of females in the population aged 15 to 44, multiplied by 1,000. The populations of women younger than 15 and older than 44 are not used in this denominator because relatively few of the women in these age groups are likely to give birth. Including total populations for those age groups in the denominator would yield an underestimate of the true fertility rate. This calculation method, used throughout the U.S., yields a slight overestimate of the true rate. Data on births from 1998 through 2002 are from the Office of Vital Statistics, DPHHS, while female population estimates are from CEIC.

Timing of Prenatal Care: Measured by the births to women who began receiving prenatal care during the first trimester (the first three months) of pregnancy as a percent of all births for which the timing of prenatal care is known. These data represent five-year averages (1998-2002) and were provided by the Office of Vital Statistics, DPHHS.

Births with unknown timing of prenatal care were excluded from the total number of births (denominator) in calculating this percent. Editions of the County Health Profiles prior to 2002 included these births in the denominator and may have underestimated the percent of prenatal care beginning in the first trimester to a small degree.

Adequacy of Prenatal Care (as measured by the Kotelchuck index): Based on birth certificate data (1998-2002) from the Office of Vital Statistics, DPHHS, this index attempts to characterize two dimensions of prenatal care.

- 1) Adequacy of initiation of prenatal care (i.e., the month care begins – assuming the earlier the care begins, the more adequate the prenatal care).
- 2) Adequacy of received services, once prenatal care has been initiated (a ratio of the actual number of visits to the expected number of visits per American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists' prenatal care visitation standards for uncomplicated pregnancies).

These two dimensions are combined into a single "Adequacy of Prenatal Care Utilization Index. Readers unfamiliar with this index, its assumptions and limitations are referred to: Kotelchuck, M. 1994. Am. Journal of Public Health. Vol. 84: 1414-1420.

Births with unknown prenatal care status were excluded from the total number of births (denominator) in calculating this percent. Editions of the County Health Profiles prior to 2002 included these births in the denominator and may have underestimated the percent of adequate prenatal care to a small degree.

Percent Low Birthweight: Percent of births for which the weight of the newborn was less than 2,500 grams (5 lbs. 8 oz.). Data are from the Office of Vital Statistics, DPHHS, for the five-year period 1998-2002.

Infant Mortality: Rate of infant (from birth to 364 days old) deaths per 1,000 live births during the five-year period 1998-2002. Data are from the Office of Vital Statistics, DPHHS.

Cancer Incidence Rate: Number of new cancer cases diagnosed during 1998-2002 per 100,000 population. This incidence is *age-adjusted* to the U.S. 2000 standard-million population. The 1999 and earlier editions of this publication used the U.S. 1970 standard-million population and therefore, *the cancer incidence rates in this edition cannot be compared to the rates in those editions*. The age-adjusted rates include all malignant cancers plus in-situ bladder cancers. County incidence rates may be based upon a small number of cases and unstable; the 95% confidence interval is indicated in parentheses. The Montana Tumor Registry, DPHHS, provided the cancer incidence data.

Leading Causes of Death: The three causes of death that occurred with greatest frequency from 1998 through 2002 (the first cause listed being the most frequent). Death rates are not shown (except heart disease, see below) because they may be unreliable for many counties. Data are from the Office of Vital Statistics, DPHHS.

(CLRD = chronic lower respiratory diseases, an ICD-10 category which replaced the ICD-9 category chronic obstructive pulmonary diseases (COPD). The categories differ in that CLRD does not contain those causes of death in ICD-9 rubric 495, which include "extrinsic allergic alveolitis.")

Heart Disease Death Rate: The number of resident deaths in 1998-2002 from heart disease per 100,000 population. Both the *crude* rate and the *age-adjusted* rate are reported for heart disease because of the significant contribution of age to the incidence of death from heart disease. County level statistics may be unreliable due to small numbers and should be used cautiously. Heart disease includes: acute rheumatic fever; chronic rheumatic heart diseases; hypertensive diseases (except essential hypertension); hypertensive heart and renal disease; ischemic heart diseases; pulmonary heart disease and diseases of pulmonary circulation; and other forms of heart disease. Data are from the Office of Vital Statistics, DPHHS.

Cause-Specific Death Rates, provided for Motor Vehicle Accidents, Suicide, and Traumatic Injury: The number of resident deaths in 1998-2002 from the stated cause per 100,000 population. These rates are presented because Montana death rates are generally higher than national rates for these causes. County-level statistics may be unreliable and should be used cautiously. Deaths are tabulated by the deceased's county of residence and therefore do not indicate where the accident, suicide or injury occurred. Data are from the Office of Vital Statistics, DPHHS.

Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol: The percent of all motor vehicle crashes that *occurred* in the county or state during 1998-2002, were reported to the Montana Highway Patrol, and involved the use of alcohol. When used as an indicator of the prevalence of drinking and driving among residents of the county/state, this measure may be limited by the inclusion of crashes involving non-residents, the exclusion of resident crashes that occurred in other counties/states, or by the absence of accidents that were not reported. Data are from the Montana Department of Transportation.

Percent of Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services: The number of Medicaid eligible persons who received mental health services divided by the total number of Medicaid eligible persons in the county/state. Mental health service data were provided by the Addictive and Mental Disorders Division, DPHHS; the Medicaid Services Division, DPHHS, provided the data on Medicaid eligibility. All data are for state fiscal year 2003 (July 1, 2002 to June 30, 2003).

Percent of 2-Year Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider Who are Fully Immunized: A sample proportion of children, from 24 through 35 months of age, who have a vaccination history on file with a vaccine provider indicating their immunization status as up to date. Up to date immunization status means: diphtheria, tetanus and pertussis - 4 doses; polio - 3 doses; H. influenzae type b (Hib) - 3 doses; measles, mumps and rubella - 1 dose; hepatitis B - 3 doses. This statistic is an indicator of the vaccination status of children from 24 to 35 months of age *who are seen by a health care provider*. These data are from the Immunization Section of the Communicable Disease Control and Prevention Bureau, DPHHS, for the year 2003.

STD Incidence: The number of reportable new cases of sexually transmitted diseases (chlamydia, gonorrhea, syphilis) per 100,000 population during 1998-2002. Data are from the STD/HIV Section of the Communicable Disease Control and Prevention Bureau, DPHHS.

Health Resource Assessment

Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), Nursing Homes, Aging Services, and Home Care Services: Numbers of state licensed facilities are counts of licenses recorded as of July 2004 in the Licensure Bureau, Quality Assurance Division, DPHHS. Home health and hospice agencies may be licensed to deliver services in more than one county and are listed by each

county of service delivery (a duplicated count of agencies). The licensure list is continuously updated – the most current information available can be obtained by calling the Licensure Bureau at (406) 444-0596 or by accessing the DPHHS website.

Critical Access Hospitals are limited service hospitals designed to provide essential services to rural communities. The Balanced Budget Act of 1997 established the Medicare Rural Hospital Flexibility Program (RHFP), which provided grants to states for designation of hospitals as Critical Access Hospitals. Because of relaxed staffing requirements and cost-based reimbursement for Medicare and Montana Medicaid patients, converting a struggling rural hospital to a CAH can allow the community to stabilize and maintain local health care access. The count of Critical Access Hospitals includes two IHS facilities, one in Big Horn County (Crow Agency) and one in Blaine County (Harlem).

When the number of beds is shown, it represents the total number of beds in all facilities of the stated type in the county/state.

Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and Indian Health Service (IHS) and Tribal Health Facilities: The Montana Primary Care Association maintains information on certified Rural Health Clinics and on federally qualified Community Health Centers (supported in part by federal grants). The count of Community Health Centers in this publication includes satellite locations as well as five urban Indian health clinics (one each located in Great Falls, Helena, Missoula, Butte, Billings). This information was current as of September 2004.

The Billings Area Indian Health Service (IHS) provided IHS-Tribal health facility information in September 2004. IHS facilities include hospitals, critical access hospitals, and health centers/clinics; health centers/clinics that are part of a hospital facility are not counted separately from the hospital. Tribal health facilities include health centers/clinics. Counts are combined into a single statistic, "IHS-Tribal Health Facilities."

Availability of 9-1-1 Service: Based on information from the Montana Department of Administration 9-1-1 Program website, September 2004. A 9-1-1 call goes over dedicated phone lines to the 9-1-1-answering point closest to the caller, and trained personnel then send the emergency help needed. Enhanced 9-1-1 is a system which routes an emergency call to the 9-1-1 center closest to the caller AND automatically displays the caller's phone number and address. In most areas, information about phone number and location is not yet available for 9-1-1 calls made from a cellular/wireless phone.

Availability of Emergency Medical Services: The Emergency Medical Services and Trauma Systems Section of the Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion Bureau, DPHHS, provided information on the type, number, and location of emergency medical service providers in each county, current as of July 2004. "Basic life support service" means an emergency medical service capable of providing care at the EMT-Basic equivalent level (includes defibrillation). "Advanced life support service" means an emergency medical service that has the capacity to provide care above basic life support, including EMT-Intermediate, EMT-Paramedic and associated special endorsements. The summarized categories of service include transporting, air, and non-transporting services.

Public Health Resources: Provided by the Health Policy and Services Division, DPHHS, and based on a survey of county health departments completed between May and September, 2004. This section lists the number of full-time equivalent (FTE) public health nurses, registered sanitarians, registered dietitians, and health educators. One FTE equals forty (40) hours per week. FTE's for individual counties are displayed with up to two decimal places (whole FTE's show no decimals), while FTE's for Montana overall are rounded to one decimal place.

The Central Montana Health District provides environmental health services and public health nurse services to a six county region (Fergus, Golden Valley, Judith Basin, Musselshell, Petroleum, Wheatland); public health nurse services provided by the Central Montana Health District outside of Fergus County are limited.

Primary Care Provider Resources:

Licensed Medical Doctors (MDs) and Doctors of Osteopathic Medicine (DOs): The Board of Medical Examiners (Montana Department of Labor and Industry) maintains records of active, licensed MDs and DOs in Montana (current as of 9/15/2004). The Billings Area IHS office maintains a list of IHS physicians (current as of 9/15/2004). The count of primary care MDs and DOs includes those listed with one or more of the following practice areas: family practice, general practice, geriatric medicine, internal medicine, pediatrics, and obstetrics-gynecology. This count *includes* specialists who provide primary care services in conjunction with their specialty. This list was cross-referenced, as necessary, with the Montana Medical Association Directory of Montana Physicians (2003) to clarify practice area or retirement.

Nurse Practitioners and Nurse Midwives: The Board of Nursing (Montana Department of Labor and Industry) maintains records of active, licensed nurse practitioners and nurse midwives in Montana. These counts are from a licensure list obtained in September 2004.

Physician Assistant Certified (PA-C): The Board of Medical Examiners (Montana Department of Labor and Industry) maintains records of active, licensed PACs in Montana. The count of PACs is from a licensure list obtained in September 2004.

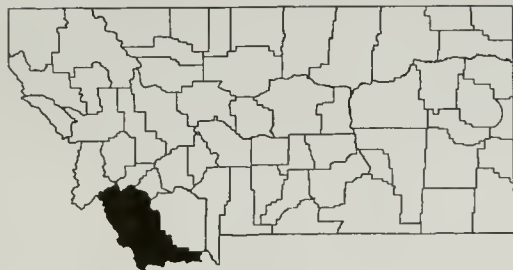
Dental Health Resources: The count of active, licensed Montana dentists and dental hygienists. Information was obtained from the Board of Dentistry (Montana Department of Labor and Industry) in September 2004.

Health Care Provider Shortage Status: The Health Resources and Services Administration (U.S. Department of Health and Human Services) maintains an information website about designations of Health Professional Shortage Areas (HPSA), Medically Underserved Areas (MUA), and Medically Underserved Populations (MUP). The information provided in this publication was current as of October 2004. "All" means the whole county has HPSA designation (either as a county designation or as a sum of smaller area designations). "None" means either there is not a shortage in this county or an application for HPSA status has not been submitted or approved. "CCD" stands for Census County Division; "CT" stands for Census Tract.

HPSAs are designated by the Health Resources and Services Administration. The **basic** criterion for a primary medical care designation is: 3,500 or more people served by a single primary care physician. High need or risk indicators, i.e. high infant mortality rates, high percentage of poverty population, may drop the required ratio to 3000:1

HPSA designation may be awarded based on the following specialties:

- A. Primary Medical Care HPSA - Areas with shortages of primary care physicians (Family Practitioners, General Practitioners, Obstetricians/Gynecologists, Pediatricians, Internal Medicine).
- B. Mental Health HPSA - Areas with shortages mental health professionals (Psychiatrists, clinical Psychologists, Psychiatric Nurses, Psychiatric Social Workers and Marriage and Family Therapists).
- C. Dental HPSAs - Areas with shortages of dentists, dental hygienists, and dental auxiliaries.



County Seat: Dillon

Beaverhead County Public Health

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Health Officer: Burke Hansen, MD

DEMOGRAPHICS	Beaverhead					Montana				
Area	5,542 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	1.6/ sq. mi. (frontier)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	46.8%					54.1%				
Population ² :	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
Gender	4,589	4,395	8,734	141	109	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
Race	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
Age	492	518	472	572	2,054	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	1,158	2,057	2,426	1,289	6,930	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 8,984					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree		
	89%		26%			87%		24%		
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	State and local government (13.5%)					Retail trade (12.4%)				
	Farm (12.6%)					State and local government (12%)				
	Retail trade (10.8%)					Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)	Health care/social assistance					None				
Unemployment Rate ³	3.7%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$28,962					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$23,524					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	17.1%		21%	16%	12%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	5%	17.1%		29%	43%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	11.9%		15.7%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	15% (757)		41% (501)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	10.9 (n = 487)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	8.8 (n = 396)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age:	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
by Gender, Race ¹	36.7	38.5	38.2	23.0	37.6	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
at Death ⁵	75	79	77	72	77	75	81	79	62	78
(number of deaths)	(209)	(187)	(392)	(3)	(396)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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² 2002 Census Bureau estimate.

³ 2003 MT Dept. Labor & Industry.

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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Beaverhead			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women	Teen	All Women				
	30.6 (n=61)	53.7 (n=487)	36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)				
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy	1 st Trimester	Adequacy				
	83.4%	82.6%	82.8%	73.2%				
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	9.0%		6.8%					
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	4.1		6.8					
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	406.6 (95% C.I. ±56.6)		474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)					
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. CANCER 2. HEART DISEASE 3. ACCIDENT		1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE					
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	176.1 (n=79)		221.2 (n=9,913)					
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	156.0		203.4					
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	35.7 (n=16)		24.5 (n=1,097)					
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	37.9 (n=17)		18.5 (n=830)					
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	71.3 (n=32)		55.6 (n=2,490)					
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	10.8% (n=113)		9.8% (n=10,833)					
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	18.8%		17.7%					
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	85% (n=29)		90% (n=2,439)					
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	187.2 (n=84)		207.0 (n=9,277)					
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Beaverhead			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals	CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals	CAH	# beds		
	0	1	20	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA	40	2,902		
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		
	0	1	0	40	20	14		
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic			Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties				
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	Beaverhead County Locations						
	3	Dillon, Polaris						
	4	Dillon, Lima, Wisdom, Wise River						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	1 (108 beds)			100 (7,374 beds)				
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)	AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)	AFC	ADC		
	1 (14)	0	0	174 (3,597)	119	63		
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA	Hospice		HHA	Hospice			
	1	1		76	31			
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	1	1	0	0	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	8	0	1	1	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	4 dentists		4 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSA: None							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	Mental Health HPSA: Yes				Dental HPSA: None			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: Big Hole Basin & Lima-Centennial Valley CCDs							

⁶ 1998-2002, Office of Vital Statistics, DPHHS

⁷ 1998-2002, age-adjusted, Montana Tumor Registry, DPHHS



County Seat: Hardin

Big Horn County Public Health

809 N Custer Ave

Hardin, MT 59034

406-665-8720

Health Officer: Robert Whiting, Jr., MD

The Crow Reservation and part of the Northern Cheyenne Reservation are located in Big Horn County.

DEMOGRAPHICS	Big Horn					Montana				
Area	4,995 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	2.6/ sq. mi. (frontier)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	28.2%					54.1%				
Population ² :	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
Gender	6,331	6,483	4,648	7,834	332	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
Race	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
Age	1,197	1,125	1,039	1,007	4,368	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	1,295	3,256	2,777	1,118	8,446	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 12,814					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree		
	76%			14%		87%			24%	
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	State and local government (27.6%) Farm (13.4%) Incomplete data (11.6%)					Retail trade (12.4%) State and local government (12%) Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
	(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)					None				
Unemployment Rate ³	15.7%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$27,684					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$16,187					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	29.2%		37%	25%	20%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	11%	29.2%		44%	54%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	30.5%		9.4%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	29% (1,864)		46% (458)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	19.2 (n = 1,221)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	8.5 (n = 540)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age:	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
by Gender, Race ¹	27.9	31.4	41.4	22.4	29.8	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
at Death ⁵	68	74	79	60	71	75	81	79	62	78
(number of deaths)	(297)	(243)	(275)	(265)	(540)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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² 2002 Census Bureau estimate.

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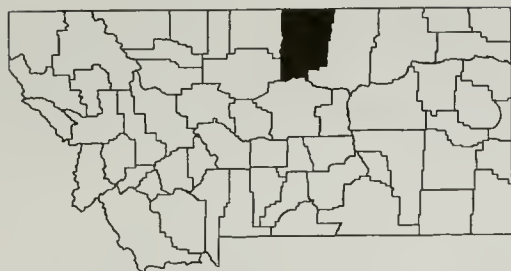
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Big Horn			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women			
	91.3 (n=270)	89.9 (n=1,221)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)			
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy			
	67.4%	48.2%		82.8%	73.2%			
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	7.0%			6.8%				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	9.0			6.8				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	496.6 (95% C.I. ±63.5)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. CANCER 2. HEART DISEASE 3. ACCIDENT			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE				
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	174.9 (n=111)			221.2 (n=9,913)				
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	250.6			203.4				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	89.8 (n=57)			24.5 (n=1,097)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	15.8 (n=10)			18.5 (n=830)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	67.8 (n=43)			55.6 (n=2,490)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	18.4% (n=185)			9.8% (n=10,833)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	5.6%			17.7%				
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	97% (n=61)			90% (n=2,439)				
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	888.8 (n=564)			207.0 (n=9,277)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Big Horn			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals	CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals	CAH	# beds		
	0	2	42	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA	40	2,902		
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		
	0	0	3	40	20	14		
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic			Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties				
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	Big Horn County Locations						
	3	Decker, Lodge Grass, Hardin						
	1	Hardin						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	3 (113 beds)			100 (7,374 beds)				
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)	AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)	AFC	ADC		
	1 (11)	0	0	174 (3,597)	119	63		
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA	Hospice		HHA	Hospice			
	0	1		76	31			
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	1.3	1	0.5	0	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	18	0	6	3	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	1 dentists		0 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSA: All							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	Mental Health HPSA: Yes				Dental HPSA: All			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: All							

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County Seat: Chinook

Blaine County Health Department
PO Box 516
Chinook, MT 59523
406-357-2345
Health Officer: Bruce Richardson, MD

The Fort Belknap Reservation is located primarily in Blaine County.

DEMOGRAPHICS	Blaine					Montana				
Area	4,226 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	1.6/ sq. mi. (frontier)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	0.0%					54.1%				
Population ² :	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
Gender	3,383	3,447	3,590	3,132	108	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
Race	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
Age	531	562	485	517	2,095	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	682	1,591	1,594	868	4,735	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 6,830					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)			Bachelor Degree	
	79%		17%			87%			24%	
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Farm (22.8%)					Retail trade (12.4%)				
	Incomplete data (22.3%)					State and local government (12%)				
	State and local government (20.1%)					Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)	Retail trade (10%)					None				
Unemployment Rate ³	5.4%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$25,247					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$16,593					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	28.1%		37%	24%	20%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	11%	28.1%		43%	54%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	25.2%		13.4%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	17% (593)		43% (370)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	14.8 (n = 514)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	10.4 (n = 363)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age:	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
by Gender, Race ¹	33.3	35.3	42.1	22.5	34.4	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
at Death ⁵	75	83	83	63	78	75	81	79	62	78
(number of deaths)	(180)	(183)	(245)	(117)	(363)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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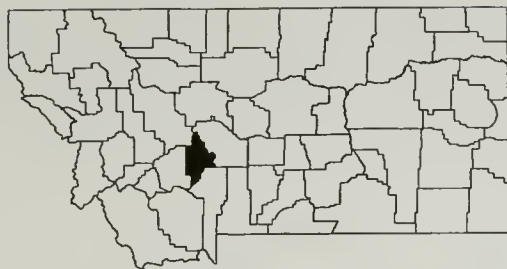
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Blaine			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women			
	65.4 (n=102)	76.9 (n=514)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)			
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy			
	67.5%	58.5%		82.8%	73.2%			
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	5.8%			6.8%				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	9.7			6.8				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	469.8 (95% C.I. ±72.1)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. ACCIDENT			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE				
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	229.9 (n=80)			221.2 (n=9,913)				
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	219.8			203.4				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	60.3 (n=21)			24.5 (n=1,097)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	31.6 (n=11)			18.5 (n=830)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	86.2 (n=30)			55.6 (n=2,490)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	15.9% (n=82)			9.8% (n=10,833)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	6.7%			17.7%				
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	93% (n=41)			90% (n=2,439)				
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	640.8 (n=223)			207.0 (n=9,277)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Blaine			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals	CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals	CAH	# beds		
	0	1	6	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA	40	2,902		
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		
	0	1	2	40	20	14		
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic			Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties				
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	Blaine County Locations						
	1	Turner						
	3	Chinook, Harlem						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	1 (42 beds)			100 (7,374 beds)				
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)	AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)	AFC	ADC		
	0 (0)	0	1	174 (3,597)	119	63		
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA	Hospice		HHA	Hospice			
	1	0		76	31			
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	1	0.5	0	0	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	8	0	1	0	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	1 dentists		2 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HP SA: All							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HP SA]	Mental Health HP SA: Yes				Dental HP SA: All			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: All							

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⁷ 1998-2002, age-adjusted, Montana Tumor Registry, DPHHS



County Seat: Townsend

Broadwater County Health Services

124 N Cedar
Townsend, MT 59644
406-266-5209

Health Officer: Nicholas M. Campbell, MD

DEMOGRAPHICS	Broadwater					Montana				
Area	1,191 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	3.7/ sq. mi. (frontier)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	0.0%					54.1%				
Population ² : Gender Race Age	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
	2,234	2,165	4,274	78	47	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
	186	264	268	280	998	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	306	1,068	1,235	792	3,401	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 4,399					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree		
	85%		15%			87%		24%		
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Incomplete data (18.5%)					Retail trade (12.4%)				
	Manufacturing (15.6%)					State and local government (12%)				
	Farm (14.5%)					Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)	State and local government (10%)					None				
Unemployment Rate ³	4.9%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$32,689					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$21,436					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	10.8%		14%	10%	8%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	3%	10.8%		22%	35%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	13.0%		19.1%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	19% (459)		39% (260)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	8.8 (n = 188)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	9.7 (n = 208)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age:	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
by Gender, Race ¹	41.6	41.0	41.5	36.3	41.3	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
at Death ⁵	76	81	78	n/a	78	75	81	79	62	78
(number of deaths)	(111)	(97)	(207)	(0)	(208)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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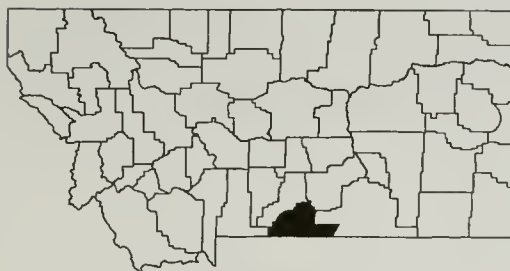
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Broadwater			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women			
	27.6 (n=21)	50 (n=188)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)			
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy			
	86.2%	86.2%		82.8%	73.2%			
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	6.9%			6.8%				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	16.0			6.8				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	468.2 (95% C.I. ±82.1)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. CANCER 2. HEART DISEASE 3. CLRD			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE				
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	209.6 (n=45)			221.2 (n=9,913)				
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	170.8			203.4				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	27.9 (n=6)			24.5 (n=1,097)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	18.6 (n=4)			18.5 (n=830)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	51.2 (n=11)			55.6 (n=2,490)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	10.2% (n=69)			9.8% (n=10,833)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	20.7%			17.7%				
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	92% (n=24)			90% (n=2,439)				
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	23.3 (n=5)			207.0 (n=9,277)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Broadwater			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds
	0		1	9	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA		40	2,902
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	
	0	0	0		40	20	14	
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic				Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties			
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	Broadwater County Locations						
	1	Townsend						
	0	N/A						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	1 (35 beds)				100 (7,374 beds)			
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC
	2 (23)		2	0	174 (3,597)		119	63
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA		Hospice		HHA		Hospice	
	1		0		76		31	
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	1	1	0	0	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	1	0	0	0	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	1 dentists		2 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSA: All							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	Mental Health HPSA: Yes				Dental HPSA: None			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: All							

⁶ 1998-2002, Office of Vital Statistics, DPHHS

⁷ 1998-2002, age-adjusted, Montana Tumor Registry, DPHHS



County Seat: Red Lodge

BHHC Public Health Department

102 W Central; PO Box 109

Joliet, MT 59041

406-962-9166

Health Officer: William George, MD

DEMOGRAPHICS	Carbon					Montana				
Area	2,048 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	4.7/ sq. mi. (frontier)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	0.0%					54.1%				
Population ² : Gender Race Age	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
	4,872	4,849	9,549	56	116	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
	446	576	527	588	2,137	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	744	2,361	2,897	1,582	7,584	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 9,721					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree		
	88%		23%			87%		24%		
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Farm (17.1%) Accommodation/food services (10.9%) Retail trade (10%)					Retail trade (12.4%) State and local government (12%) Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
	(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs) State and local government					None				
Unemployment Rate ³	3.8%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$32,139					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$25,792					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	11.6%		15%	11%	9%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	5%	11.6%		23%	36%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	8.1%		17.1%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	15% (784)		39% (606)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	9.4 (n = 450)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	10.3 (n = 494)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age:	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
	41.4	42.5	42.3	28.5	41.9	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
	77	81	79	39.5	79	75	81	79	62	78
	(270)	(224)	(489)	(4)	(494)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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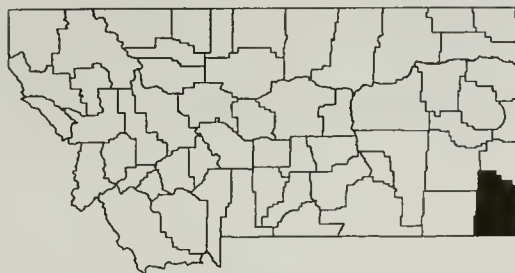
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS		Carbon			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶		Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women			
		13.5 (n=24)	51.2 (n=450)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)			
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶		1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy			
		84.4%	73.0%		82.8%	73.2%			
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶		5.3%			6.8%				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶		13.3			6.8				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷		490.7 (95% C.I. ±57.0)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁶		1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE				
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶		256.9 (n=123)			221.2 (n=9,913)				
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶		188.3			203.4				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶		43.9 (n=21)			24.5 (n=1,097)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶		12.5 (n=6)			18.5 (n=830)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶		48 (n=23)			55.6 (n=2,490)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol		12.0% (n=141)			9.8% (n=10,833)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)		18.0%			17.7%				
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)		97% (n=28)			90% (n=2,439)				
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)		33.4 (n=16)			207.0 (n=9,277)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002		Carbon			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds		Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds
		0		1	22	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA		40	2,902
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)		RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	
		1	0	0		40	20	14	
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services		Basic				Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties			
Availability of Emergency Medical Services:		#	Carbon County Locations						
Basic Life Support Services		0	N/A						
Advanced Life Support Services		3	Bridger, Joliet, Red Lodge						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)		2 (106 beds)				100 (7,374 beds)			
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses		ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC
		2 (19)		1	1	174 (3,597)		119	63
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses		HHA		Hospice		HHA		Hospice	
		2		1		76		31	
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]		PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
		1	1	0	0	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]		MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
		6	0	3	1	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists		2 dentists		3 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:		Federal HPSA: Carbon East, Fromberg-Bridger, & Joliet CCDs							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]		Mental Health HPSA: Yes				Dental HPSA: All			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]		MUA/MUP: None							

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County Seat: Ekalaka

Carter County Health Department

PO Box 46
Ekalaka, MT 59324
406-775-8738

Health Officer: Dale Diede, PA-C

DEMOGRAPHICS	Carter					Montana				
Area	3,340 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	0.4/ sq. mi. (frontier)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	0.0%					54.1%				
Population ² : Gender Race Age	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
	654	701	1,344	6	5	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
	45	75	82	113	315	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	103	315	377	245	1,040	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 1,355					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree		
	83%		14%			87%		24%		
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Farm (44.6%) Incomplete data (29.5%) State and local government (12.3%)					Retail trade (12.4%) State and local government (12%) Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
	(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)					None				
Unemployment Rate ³	2.2%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$26,312					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$17,556					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	18.1%		16%	19%	16%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	7%	18.1%		32%	47%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	7.2%		18.9%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	22% (161)		44% (99)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	6.4 (n = 45)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	11.0 (n = 77)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age:	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
by Gender, Race ¹	41.8	41.8	41.9	47.5	41.8	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
at Death ⁵	79	87.5	84	n/a	84	75	81	79	62	78
(number of deaths)	(39)	(38)	(77)	(0)	(77)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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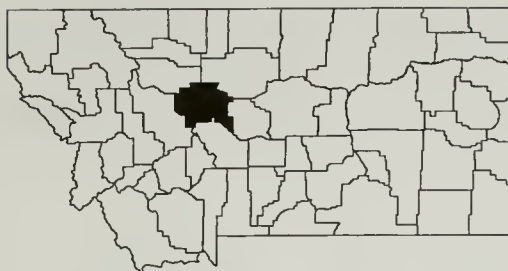
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Carter			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women			
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy			
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	8.9%			6.8%				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	0.0			6.8				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	298.0 (95% C.I. ±110.1)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. ACCIDENT			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE				
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	441 (n=31)			221.2 (n=9,913)				
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	297.2			203.4				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	28.4 (n=2)			24.5 (n=1,097)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	14.2 (n=1)			18.5 (n=830)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	56.9 (n=4)			55.6 (n=2,490)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	10.9% (n=6)			9.8% (n=10,833)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	13.3%			17.7%				
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	100% (n=4)			90% (n=2,439)				
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	14.2 (n=1)			207.0 (n=9,277)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Carter			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds
	0		1	8	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA		40	2,902
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	
	1	0	0		40	20	14	
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic + Enhanced (N. Carter)				Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties			
Availability of Emergency Medical Services:	#	Carter County Locations						
Basic Life Support Services	0	N/A						
Advanced Life Support Services	1	Ekalaka						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	1 (23 beds)				100 (7,374 beds)			
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC
	0 (0)		0	1	174 (3,597)		119	63
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA		Hospice		HHA		Hospice	
	0		0		76		31	
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	0.25	0.19	0	0	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	0	0	1	2	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	0 dentists		1 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSA: All							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	Mental Health HPSA: Yes				Dental HPSA: All			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: All							

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⁷ 1998-2002, age-adjusted, Montana Tumor Registry, DPHHS.



County Seat: Great Falls

Cascade City-County Health Department

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Great Falls, MT 59401-3618
406-454-6950
Health Officer: Cherry Loney

The Carpenter-Snow Creek Mining District Superfund NPL site (listed in 2001) is located adjacent to and includes the town of Neihart. Great Falls is Montana's third largest city (56,120 in 2002) and one of three metropolitan areas in the state.

DEMOGRAPHICS	Cascade					Montana				
Area	2,698 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	29.5/ sq. mi. (rural)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	80.1%					54.1%				
Population ² : Gender Race Age	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
	39,368	40,229	72,227	3,569	3,801	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
	5,115	5,265	4,711	4,685	19,776	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	7,863	21,270	19,197	11,491	59,821	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 79,597					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree		
	87%		22%			87%		24%		
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Retail trade (13.9%) Health care/social assistance (13.6%) Military (8.1%)					Retail trade (12.4%) State and local government (12%) Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
	(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)					None				
Unemployment Rate ³	4.6%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$32,971					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$26,546					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	13.5%		19%	12%	8%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	5%	13.5%		25%	37%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	13.3%		16.4%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	19% (8,092)		40% (4,236)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	13.5 (n = 5,338)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	9.5 (n = 3,773)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age: by Gender, Race ¹ at Death ⁵ (number of deaths)	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
	35.6	38.0	38.0	26.5	36.7	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
	75	80	78	60	77	75	81	79	62	78
	(1,908)	(1,865)	(3,614)	(132)	(3,773)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

¹ Census 2000.

² 2002 Census Bureau estimate.

³ 2003 MT Dept. Labor & Industry.

⁴ 2002 U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis.

⁵ 1998-2002, Office of Vital Statistics, DPHHS.

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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Cascade			Montana		
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women	
	48.9 (n=697)	66.2 (n=5,338)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)	
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy	
	89.0%	55.4%		82.8%	73.2%	
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	6.8%			6.8%		
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	8.2			6.8		
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	499.8 (95% C.I. ±21.1)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)		
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CLRD			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE		
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	224.8 (n=891)			221.2 (n=9,913)		
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	200.4			203.4		
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	19.9 (n=79)			24.5 (n=1,097)		
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	23.5 (n=93)			18.5 (n=830)		
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	65.6 (n=260)			55.6 (n=2,490)		
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	6.8% (n=845)			9.8% (n=10,833)		
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	20.1%			17.7%		
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	92% (n=92)			90% (n=2,439)		
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	321.2 (n=1,273)			207.0 (n=9,277)		
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Cascade			Montana		
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals		CAH # beds	Local Hospitals		CAH # beds
	3 local		0 415	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA		40 2,902
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal
	0	2	0	40	20	14
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic + Enhanced			Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties		
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	Cascade County Locations				
	3	Belt, Great Falls				
	8	Ft Shaw, Great Falls				
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	3 (647 beds)			100 (7,374 beds)		
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)		AFC ADC	ALF (# beds)		AFC ADC
	18 (490)		9 2	174 (3,597)		119 63
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA		Hospice	HHA		Hospice
	2		2	76		31
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD HlthEd
	9.6	4.5	0 2	124.4	84.5	14.0 41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP PA-C
	80	4	31 12	881	34	314 264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	54 dentists		37 hygienists	505 dentists		437 hygienists
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSA: Cascade City County HD/CH Care (CCCHD)					
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	Mental Health HPSA: CCCHD Dental HPSA: Low income; CCCHD					
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: CT 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 16, 104					

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⁷ 1998-2002, age-adjusted, Montana Tumor Registry, DPHHS

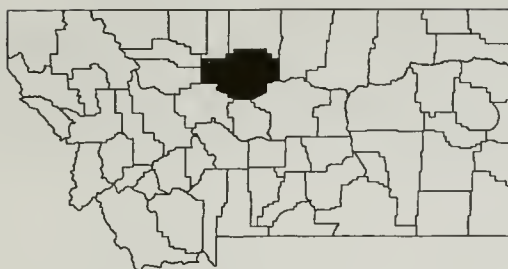
Chouteau County Health Department

1020 13th Street

Fort Benton, MT 59442

406-622-3771

Health Officer: William Gertson, MD



County Seat: Fort Benton

Part of the Rocky Boy's Reservation is in Chouteau County.

DEMOGRAPHICS	Chouteau					Montana				
Area	3,973 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	1.4/ sq. mi. (frontier)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	0.0%					54.1%				
Population ² :	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
Gender	2,828	2,811	4,766	848	25	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
Race	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
Age	282	402	387	399	1,470	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	434	1,203	1,498	1,034	4,169	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 5,639					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)			Bachelor Degree		HS Graduate (or GED)			Bachelor Degree	
	87%			21%		87%			24%	
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Farm (30.3%)					Retail trade (12.4%)				
	State and local government (14.2%)					State and local government (12%)				
	Retail trade (8.3%)					Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)	None					None				
Unemployment Rate ³	2.5%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$29,150					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$22,081					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	20.5%		30%	17%	8%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	8%	20.5%		33%	47%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	7.6%		18.4%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	15% (445)		36% (328)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	7.9 (n = 217)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	11.1 (n = 308)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age:	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
by Gender, Race ¹	39.0	39.7	43.0	17.2	39.3	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
at Death ⁵	79	85	83	64	82	75	81	79	62	78
(number of deaths)	(156)	(152)	(299)	(9)	(308)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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² 2002 Census Bureau estimate.

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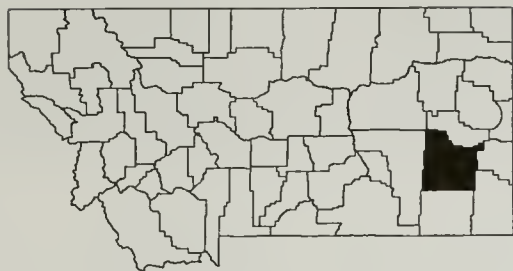
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Chouteau			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women	Teen	All Women				
	14.9 (n=16)	44.8 (n=217)	36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)				
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy	1 st Trimester	Adequacy				
	88.5%	65.7%	82.8%	73.2%				
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	6.9%		6.8%					
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	0.0		6.8					
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	441.8 (95% C.I. ±68.4)		474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)					
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CLRD		1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE					
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	347.3 (n=96)		221.2 (n=9,913)					
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	248.3		203.4					
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	21.7 (n=6)		24.5 (n=1,097)					
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	3.6 (n=1)		18.5 (n=830)					
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	21.7 (n=6)		55.6 (n=2,490)					
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	9.9% (n=46)		9.8% (n=10,833)					
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	11.3%		17.7%					
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	100% (n=21)		90% (n=2,439)					
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	28.9 (n=8)		207.0 (n=9,277)					
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Chouteau			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals	CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals	CAH	# beds		
	0	2	15	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA	40	2,902		
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		
	2	0	0	40	20	14		
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic + Enhanced			Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties				
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	Chouteau County Locations						
	3	Big Sandy, Ft Benton, Geraldine						
	1	Ft Benton						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	2 (67 beds)			100 (7,374 beds)				
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)	AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)	AFC	ADC		
	2 (13)	0	1	174 (3,597)	119	63		
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA	Hospice		HHA	Hospice			
	3	0		76	31			
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	0.6	0.2	0	0	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	2	0	5	0	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	1 dentists		1 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSA: Low income pop. - Big Sandy, Ft Benton, Geraldine CCDs							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	Mental Health HPSA: Yes				Dental HPSA: All			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: All							

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⁷ 1998-2002, age-adjusted, Montana Tumor Registry, DPHHS



County Seat: Miles City

Custer County Health Department

1010 Main Street - Courthouse Annex
Miles City, MT 59301
406-874-3377

Health Officer: Stephen Nalewaja, MD

DEMOGRAPHICS	Custer					Montana				
Area	3,783 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	3.0/ sq. mi. (frontier)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	83.1%					54.1%				
Population ² : Gender Race Age	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
	5,613	5,815	11,129	162	137	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
	664	681	644	719	2,708	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	1,105	2,665	2,980	1,970	8,720	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 11,428					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree		
	85%		19%			87%		24%		
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Health care/social assistance (14.4%)					Retail trade (12.4%)				
	Retail trade (12.8%)					State and local government (12%)				
	State and local government (11.8%)					Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)	Accommodation & food services					None				
Unemployment Rate ³	3.1%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$30,000					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$22,837					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	15.1%		19%	14%	9%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	5%	15.1%		29%	39%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	14.9%		19.8%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	18% (1,101)		44% (797)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	11.5 (n = 674)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	12.3 (n = 717)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age:	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
by Gender, Race ¹	38.4	40.1	39.6	23.5	39.3	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
at Death ⁵	77	83	80	51	80	75	81	79	62	78
(number of deaths)	(364)	(353)	(714)	(3)	(717)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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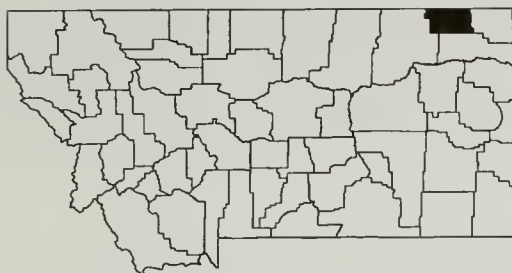
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS		Custer			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶		Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women			
		35.1 (n=82)	59.2 (n=674)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)			
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶		1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy			
		78.0%	83.4%		82.8%	73.2%			
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶		8.5%			6.8%				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶		5.9			6.8				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷		495.6 (95% C.I. ±51.8)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁶		1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE				
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶		320 (n=187)			221.2 (n=9,913)				
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶		233.4			203.4				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶		12 (n=7)			24.5 (n=1,097)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶		29.1 (n=17)			18.5 (n=830)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶		59.9 (n=35)			55.6 (n=2,490)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol		7.5% (n=120)			9.8% (n=10,833)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)		21.0%			17.7%				
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)		97% (n=28)			90% (n=2,439)				
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)		201.9 (n=118)			207.0 (n=9,277)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002		Custer			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds		Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds
		1 local		0	44	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA		40	2,902
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)		RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	
		0	1	0		40	20	14	
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services		Basic				Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties			
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services		#	Custer County Locations						
		0	N/A						
		1	Miles City						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)		2 (214 beds)				100 (7,374 beds)			
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses		ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC
		5 (54)		6	2	174 (3,597)		119	63
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses		HHA		Hospice		HHA		Hospice	
		1		1		76		31	
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]		PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
		5	1	0	0	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]		MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
		10	0	5	12	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists		5 dentists		2 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:		Federal HPSA: Shirley-Ismay CCD							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]		Mental Health HPSA: Yes				Dental HPSA: All			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]		MUA/MUP: All							

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County Seat: Scobey

Daniels County Health Department

PO Box 247
Scobey, MT 59263
406-783-5366

Health Officer: Mary Nyhus, RN

DEMOGRAPHICS	Daniels					Montana				
Area	1,426 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	1.4/ sq. mi. (frontier)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	0.0%					54.1%				
Population ² : Gender Race Age	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
	969	980	1,895	25	29	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
	72	93	97	111	373	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	128	347	627	474	1,576	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 1,949					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree		
	85%		14%			87%		24%		
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Farm (29.8%) Incomplete data (14.5%) State and local government (10.6%)					Retail trade (12.4%) State and local government (12%) Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
	(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)					Information (10%) None				
Unemployment Rate ³	2.2%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$27,306					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$28,286					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	16.9%		21%	16%	13%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	8%	16.9%		29%	45%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	7.6%		25.6%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	16% (161)		31% (137)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	7.9 (n = 79)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	12.4 (n = 123)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age: by Gender, Race ¹ at Death ⁵ (number of deaths)	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
	46.4	47.7	47.7	17.0	47.0	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
	76	82	80	n/a	80	75	81	79	62	78
	(62)	(61)	(123)	(0)	(123)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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² 2002 Census Bureau estimate.

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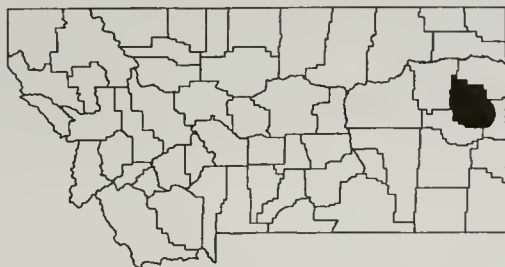
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Daniels			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women			
	15.3 (n=6)	52.9 (n=79)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)			
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy			
	82.3%	69.6%		82.8%	73.2%			
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	3.8%			6.8%				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	12.7			6.8				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	318.2 (95% C.I. ±84.4)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE				
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	281.6 (n=28)			221.2 (n=9,913)				
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	154.3			203.4				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	30.2 (n=3)			24.5 (n=1,097)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	20.1 (n=2)			18.5 (n=830)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	80.5 (n=8)			55.6 (n=2,490)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	12.4% (n=16)			9.8% (n=10,833)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	19.5%			17.7%				
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	94% (n=16)			90% (n=2,439)				
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	10.1 (n=1)			207.0 (n=9,277)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Daniels			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals	CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals	CAH	# beds		
	1 local	0	6	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA	40	2,902		
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		
	1	0	0	40	20	14		
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic + Enhanced			Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties				
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	Daniels County Locations						
	0	N/A						
	1	Scobey						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	1 (48 beds)			100 (7,374 beds)				
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)	AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)	AFC	ADC		
	0 (0)	0	1	174 (3,597)	119	63		
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA	Hospice		HHA	Hospice			
	2	0		76	31			
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	0.5	0.25	0	0	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	2	0	1	0	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	1 dentists		0 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSEA: All							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSEA]	Mental Health HPSEA: Yes				Dental HPSEA: Low income population			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: None							

⁶ 1998-2002, Office of Vital Statistics, DPHHS.

⁷ 1998-2002, age-adjusted, Montana Tumor Registry, DPHHS



County Seat: Glendive

Dawson County Health Department

207 West Bell
Glendive, MT 59330
406-377-5213

Health Officer: Joseph Leal, MD

DEMOGRAPHICS	Dawson					Montana				
Area	2,373 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	3.7/ sq. mi. (frontier)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	68.3%					54.1%				
Population ² : Gender Race Age	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
	4,334	4,405	8,559	123	57	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
	457	461	435	519	1,872	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	867	1,945	2,452	1,603	6,867	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 8,739					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)			Bachelor Degree		HS Graduate (or GED)			Bachelor Degree	
	83%			15%		87%			24%	
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Incomplete data (16.2%)					Retail trade (12.4%)				
	State and local government (15.2%)					State and local government (12%)				
	Retail trade (11.8%)					Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)	Health care/social assistance; Farm					None				
Unemployment Rate ³	2.4%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$31,393					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$22,320					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	14.9%		19%	14%	11%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	6%	14.9%		27%	37%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	10.5%		19.5%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	17% (804)		29% (419)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	10.5 (n = 465)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	11.5 (n = 506)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age:	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
by Gender, Race ¹	40.5	41.6	41.5	26.6	41.0	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
at Death ⁵	77	81	78.5	n/a	78.5	75	81	79	62	78
(number of deaths)	(267)	(239)	(506)	(0)	(506)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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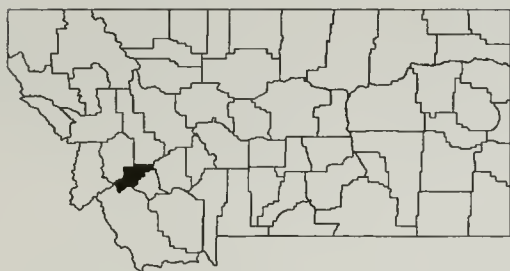
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS		Dawson			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶		Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women			
		25.9 (n=46)	58.2 (n=465)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)			
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶		1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy			
		85.8%	78.7%		82.8%	73.2%			
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶		5.6%			6.8%				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶		2.2			6.8				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷		421.8 (95% C.I. ±54.1)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁶		1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE				
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶		305.6 (n=135)			221.2 (n=9,913)				
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶		215.2			203.4				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶		15.8 (n=7)			24.5 (n=1,097)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶		11.3 (n=5)			18.5 (n=830)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶		61.1 (n=27)			55.6 (n=2,490)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol		5.9% (n=69)			9.8% (n=10,833)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)		18.3%			17.7%				
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)		80% (n=40)			90% (n=2,439)				
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)		133.5 (n=59)			207.0 (n=9,277)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002		Dawson			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds		Local Hospitals	CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals	CAH	# beds		
		0	1	25	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA	40	2,902		
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)		RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		
		0	0	0	40	20	14		
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services		Basic			Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties				
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	Dawson County Locations							
	2	Glendive, Richey							
	0	N/A							
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)		2 (155 beds)			100 (7,374 beds)				
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses		ALF (# beds)	AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)	AFC	ADC		
		2 (24)	0	0	174 (3,597)	119	63		
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses		HHA	Hospice		HHA	Hospice			
		2	1		76	31			
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]		PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
		3	0.8	0	1.25	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]		MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
		6	0	1	4	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists		3 dentists		2 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:		Federal HPSA: All							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]		Mental Health HPSA: Yes				Dental HPSA: All			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]		MUA/MUP: None							

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County Seat: Anaconda

Anaconda-Deer Lodge Co. Public Health Department
115 West Commercial
Anaconda, MT 59711
406-563-7863
Health Officer: Shawna Baker, MD

In 1983, the area surrounding the former Anaconda Minerals Company smelter was placed on the Superfund National Priorities List. Montana State Hospital (mental health) is in Warm Springs.

DEMOGRAPHICS	Deer Lodge					Montana				
Area	737 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	12.3/ sq. mi. (rural)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	66.1%					54.1%				
Population ² : Gender Race Age	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
	4,526	4,548	8,726	176	172	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
	414	439	495	547	1,895	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	844	2,010	2,624	1,701	7,179	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 9,074					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree		
	85%		15%			87%		24%		
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	State and local government (20%) Health care/social assistance (15.2%) Accommodation/food services (14.6%)					Retail trade (12.4%) State and local government (12%) Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
	(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)					None				
	Retail trade									
Unemployment Rate ³	6.5%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$26,305					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$21,163					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	15.8%		23%	14%	10%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	8%	15.8%		27%	40%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	18.8%		22.7%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	23% (1,158)		44% (736)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	9.1 (n = 431)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	13.8 (n = 655)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age: by Gender, Race ¹ at Death ⁵ (number of deaths)	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
	41.1	43.3	42.8	28.4	42.3	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
	76	81	79	81.5	79	75	81	79	62	78
	(319)	(336)	(645)	(6)	(655)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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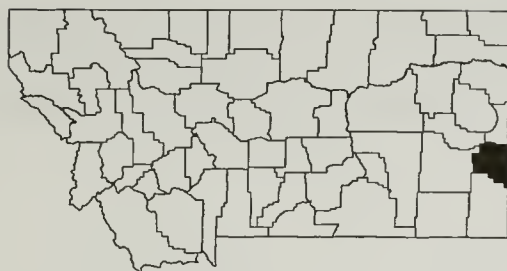
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Deer Lodge			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women			
	37.5 (n=71)	50.2 (n=431)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)			
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy			
	76.1%	75.8%		82.8%	73.2%			
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	10.9%			6.8%				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	7.0			6.8				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	465.0 (95% C.I. ±54.6)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3 CLRD			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3 CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE				
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	348.5 (n=165)			221.2 (n=9,913)				
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	243.6			203.4				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	25.3 (n=12)			24.5 (n=1,097)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	16.9 (n=8)			18.5 (n=830)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	82.4 (n=39)			55.6 (n=2,490)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	13.6% (n=91)			9.8% (n=10,833)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	19.2%			17.7%				
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	79% (n=34)			90% (n=2,439)				
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	76.0 (n=36)			207.0 (n=9,277)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Deer Lodge			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds
	1 adult psychiatric		1	197	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA		40	2,902
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	
	0	0	0		40	20	14	
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic				Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties			
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	Deer Lodge County Locations						
	3	Anaconda						
	0	N/A						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	1 (66 beds)				100 (7,374 beds)			
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC
	1 (12)		1	0	174 (3,597)		119	63
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA		Hospice		HHA		Hospice	
	1		1		76		31	
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	0.75	0.75	< 0.1	0	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	8	0	6	0	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	5 dentists		2 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSEA: Low income population							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSEA]	Mental Health HPSEA: Yes				Dental HPSEA: None			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: None							

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⁷ 1998-2002, age-adjusted, Montana Tumor Registry, DPHHS.



County Seat: Baker

Fallon County Health Department

205 South 4th St W; PO Box 820
Baker, MT 59313
406-778-2824

Health Officer: Darryl Espeland, DO

DEMOGRAPHICS	Fallon					Montana				
Area	1,620 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	1.7/ sq. mi. (frontier)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	0.0%					54.1%				
Population ² : Gender Race Age	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
	1,374	1,349	2,694	10	19	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
	122	147	159	192	620	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	223	624	743	513	2,103	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 2,723					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree		
	86%		14%			87%		24%		
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Farm (21.3%)					Retail trade (12.4%)				
	Incomplete data (21.5%)					State and local government (12%)				
	State and local government (13.3%)					Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)	Retail trade (10%)					None				
Unemployment Rate ³	2.7%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$29,944					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$21,838					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	12.5%		18%	11%	7%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	5%	12.5%		24%	37%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	8.4%		19.9%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	14% (210)		32% (150)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	10.0 (n = 141)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	10.9 (n = 154)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age: by Gender, Race ¹ at Death ⁵ (number of deaths)	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
	39.9	42.3	41.2	30.5	41.1	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
	74	85	79	n/a	79	75	81	79	62	78
	(83)	(71)	(154)	(0)	(154)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

¹ Census 2000.

² 2002 Census Bureau estimate.

³ 2003 MT Dept. Labor & Industry.

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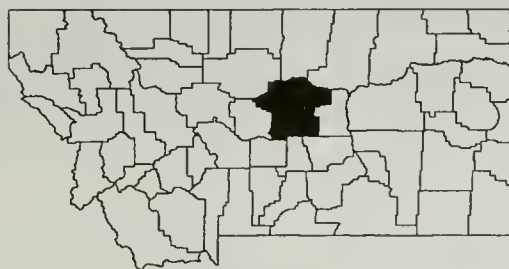
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Fallon			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women			
	20.6 (n=11)	57.8 (n=141)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)			
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy			
	87.9%	79.4%		82.8%	73.2%			
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	8.5%			6.8%				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	7.1			6.8				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	412.0 (95% C.I. ±94.9)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE				
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	360.9 (n=51)			221.2 (n=9,913)				
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	261.9			203.4				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	14.2 (n=2)			24.5 (n=1,097)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	21.2 (n=3)			18.5 (n=830)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	35.4 (n=5)			55.6 (n=2,490)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	10.5% (n=13)			9.8% (n=10,833)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	10.0%			17.7%				
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	94% (n=15)			90% (n=2,439)				
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	141.5 (n=20)			207.0 (n=9,277)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Fallon			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds
	0		1	19	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA		40	2,902
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	
	1	0	0		40	20	14	
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic + Enhanced				Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties			
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	Fallon County Locations						
	1	Baker						
	0	N/A						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	1 (33 beds)				100 (7,374 beds)			
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC
	1 (33)		0	0	174 (3,597)		119	63
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA		Hospice		HHA		Hospice	
	1		0		76		31	
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	1.35	0.34	0	0	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	2	0	0	0	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	1 dentists		1 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSA: All							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	Mental Health HPSA: Yes				Dental HPSA: All			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: All							

⁶ 1998-2002, Office of Vital Statistics, DPHHS.

⁷ 1998-2002, age-adjusted, Montana Tumor Registry, DPHHS.



County Seat: Lewistown

Central Montana Health District
305 W Watson (Nurses); 712 W Main (Other)
Lewistown, MT 59457
406-538-7433; 406-538-8892
Health Officer: Jan Leishman-Donahue

The county is served by a multi-county health department located in Lewistown.

DEMOGRAPHICS	Fergus					Montana				
Area	4,339 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	2.7/ sq. mi. (frontier)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	53.8%					54.1%				
Population ² : Gender Race Age	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
	5,691	5,973	11,361	155	148	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
	560	656	657	744	2,617	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	910	2,532	3,264	2,341	9,047	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 11,664					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree		
	86%		19%			87%		24%		
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Incomplete data (17.4%) Farm (14.6%) State and local government (11.5%)					Retail trade (12.4%) State and local government (12%) Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
	(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs) Retail trade (11%)					None				
Unemployment Rate ³	5.1%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$30,409					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$23,057					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	15.4%		21%	14%	12%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	6%	15.4%		26%	39%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	12.4%		21.6%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	17% (1,026)		39% (825)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	8.9 (n = 531)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	13.2 (n = 790)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age: by Gender, Race ¹ at Death ⁵ (number of deaths)	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
	41.3	43.6	42.7	39.2	42.4	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
	79	82	81	66.5	81	75	81	79	62	78
	(413)	(377)	(781)	(8)	(790)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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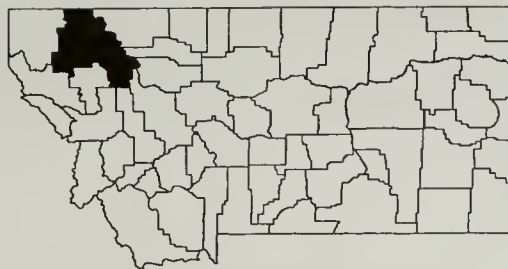
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Fergus			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women			
	19.7 (n=44)	52 (n=531)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)			
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy			
	79.6%	81.3%		82.8%	73.2%			
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	6.4%			6.8%				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	13.2			6.8				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	486.3 (95% C.I. ±48.4)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CLRD			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE				
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	363.1 (n=217)			221.2 (n=9,913)				
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	217.1			203.4				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	20.1 (n=12)			24.5 (n=1,097)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	15.1 (n=9)			18.5 (n=830)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	48.5 (n=29)			55.6 (n=2,490)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	9.0% (n=129)			9.8% (n=10,833)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	19.6%			17.7%				
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	98% (n=41)			90% (n=2,439)				
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	53.5 (n=32)			207.0 (n=9,277)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Fergus			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds
	1 local		0	47	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA		40	2,902
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	
	0	0	0		40	20	14	
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic				Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties			
Availability of Emergency Medical Services:	#	Fergus County Locations						
Basic Life Support Services	6	Denton, Grass Range, Lewistown, Roy, Winitred						
Advanced Life Support Services	1	Lewistown						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	3 (377 beds)				100 (7,374 beds)			
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC
	4 (96)		2	2	174 (3,597)		119	63
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA		Hospice		HHA		Hospice	
	1		1		76		31	
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	1.75	2	0	0	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	13	1	3	2	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	8 dentists		8 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSA: None							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	Mental Health HPSA: Yes				Dental HPSA: None			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: CT 9696, 9697, 9698, 9699, 9701, 9703							

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County Seat: Kalispell

Flathead City-County Health Department

1035 1st Ave West
Kalispell, MT 59901
406-751-8101

Health Officer: Joseph W. Russell

DEMOGRAPHICS	Flathead					Montana				
Area	5,098 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	15.2/ sq. mi. (rural)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	47.6%					54.1%				
Population ² : Gender Race Age	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
	38,372	39,069	74,847	905	1,689	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
	4,564	4,791	4,590	4,858	18,803	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	6,887	19,868	21,658	10,225	58,638	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 77,441					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree		
	87%		22%			87%		24%		
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Retail trade (14%)					Retail trade (12.4%)				
	Construction (9.4%)					State and local government (12%)				
	Health care/social assistance (9.4%)					Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)	None					None				
Unemployment Rate ³	6.4%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$34,466					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$25,583					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	13.0%		17%	11%	9%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	5%	13.0%		24%	35%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	12.1%		16.0%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	16% (6,945)		39% (3,507)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	12.6 (n = 4,716)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	8.8 (n = 3,276)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age:	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
by Gender, Race ¹	38.3	39.6	39.3	34.8	39.0	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
at Death ⁵	75	81	78	52	78	75	81	79	62	78
(number of deaths)	(1,658)	(1,617)	(3,235)	(31)	(3,276)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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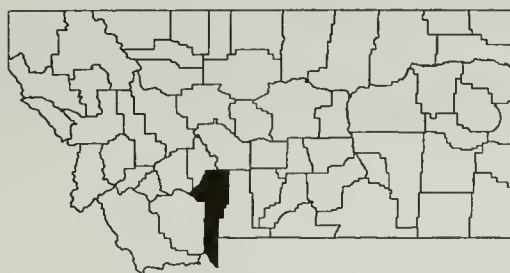
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Flathead			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women			
	37.7 (n=516)	63.3 (n=4,716)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)			
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy			
	82.2%	85.1%		82.8%	73.2%			
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	6.1%			6.8%				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	6.6			6.8				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	463.4 (95% C.I. ±21.3)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE				
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	226.9 (n=846)			221.2 (n=9,913)				
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	219.6			203.4				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	20.6 (n=77)			24.5 (n=1,097)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	20.4 (n=76)			18.5 (n=830)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	55.5 (n=207)			55.6 (n=2,490)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	10.7% (n=997)			9.8% (n=10,833)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	13.8%			17.7%				
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	92% (n=145)			90% (n=2,439)				
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	116.4 (n=434)			207.0 (n=9,277)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Flathead			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds
	2 local		1	192	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA		40	2,902
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	
	0	0	0		40	20	14	
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic + Enhanced				Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties			
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	Flathead County Locations						
	9	Columbia Falls, Essex, Kalispell, Marion, Olney						
	12	Bigfork, Columbia Falls, Coram, Kalispell, Lakeside, Marion, Whitefish						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	6 (651 beds)				100 (7,374 beds)			
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC
	8 (269)		9	4	174 (3,597)		119	63
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA		Hospice		HHA		Hospice	
	2		1		76		31	
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	7.9	8	2.2	3.1	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	77	5	32	18	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	53 dentists		46 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSA: None							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	Mental Health HPSA: No				Dental HPSA: Low income population			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: CT 1, 7, 10, 11, 12							

⁶ 1998-2002, Office of Vital Statistics, DPHHS.

⁷ 1998-2002, age-adjusted, Montana Tumor Registry, DPHHS



County Seat: Bozeman

Gallatin City-County Health Department (EHS)

311 West Main, Rm 108

Bozeman, MT 59715

406-582-3120

Health Officer: Stephanie Nelson

Cleanup construction at the Idaho Pole Company Superfund NPL site in Bozeman was completed in 1998 and the land treatment unit was closed in 2002.

DEMOGRAPHICS	Gallatin					Montana				
Area	2,606 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	27.3/ sq. mi. (rural)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	56.7%					54.1%				
Population ² :	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
Gender	36,978	34,193	68,794	691	1,686	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
Race	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
Age	3,992	4,058	3,421	3,494	14,965	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	11,936	22,086	16,058	6,126	56,206	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 71,171					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)			Bachelor Degree		HS Graduate (or GED)			Bachelor Degree	
	93%			41%		87%			24%	
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	State and local government (14%)					Retail trade (12.4%)				
	Retail trade (13.5%)					State and local government (12%)				
	Accommodation/food services (10.9%)					Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)	Construction					None				
Unemployment Rate ³	2.8%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$38,120					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$26,890					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	12.8%		11%	13%	6%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	6%	12.8%		22%	33%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	6.1%		9.6%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	11% (4,421)		36% (1,961)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	12.2 (n = 4,098)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	5.2 (n = 1,751)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age:	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
by Gender, Race ¹	29.5	32.4	31.1	24.3	30.7	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
at Death ⁵	75	81	78	71.5	78	75	81	79	62	78
(number of deaths)	(892)	(859)	(1,742)	(4)	(1,751)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

¹ Census 2000.

² 2002 Census Bureau estimate.

³ 2003 MT Dept. Labor & Industry.

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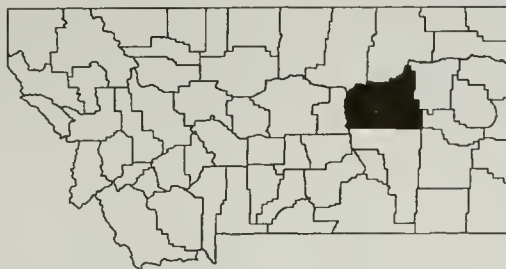
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Gallatin			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women			
	16.8 (n=242)	50 (n=4,098)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)			
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy			
	87.1%	81.5%		82.8%	73.2%			
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	5.1%			6.8%				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	4.9			6.8				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	444.0 (95% C.I. ±26.0)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE				
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	118.5 (n=398)			221.2 (n=9,913)				
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	169.2			203.4				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	18.5 (n=62)			24.5 (n=1,097)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	16.1 (n=54)			18.5 (n=830)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	35.7 (n=120)			55.6 (n=2,490)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	7.8% (n=666)			9.8% (n=10,833)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	17.0%			17.7%				
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	86% (n=102)			90% (n=2,439)				
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	171.8 (n=577)			207.0 (n=9,277)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Gallatin			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds
	1 local		0	86	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA		40	2,902
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	
	1	1	0		40	20	14	
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic + Enhanced				Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties			
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	Gallatin County Locations						
	13	Bozeman, Gallatin Gateway, Manhattan, Three Forks, Willow Creek						
	11	Belgrade, Big Sky, Bozeman, Three Forks, West Yellowstone						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	3 (283 beds)				100 (7,374 beds)			
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC
	10 (196)		6	3	174 (3,597)		119	63
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA		Hospice		HHA		Hospice	
	2		1		76		31	
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	7.4	10	1	0.4	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	75	1	32	29	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	49 dentists		49 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSA: Manhattan, Three Forks, & West Yellowstone CCDs							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	Mental Health HPSA: No				Dental HPSA: None			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: Low income: CT 9861 & 9866							

⁶ 1998-2002, Office of Vital Statistics, DPHHS.

⁷ 1998-2002, age-adjusted, Montana Tumor Registry, DPHHS



County Seat: Jordan

Garfield County Health Department

332 Leavitt Ave; PO Box 389
Jordan, MT 59337
406-557-2050

Health Officer: Dan Muniak, PA-C

DEMOGRAPHICS	Garfield					Montana				
Area	4,668 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	0.3/ sq. mi. (frontier)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	0.0%					54.1%				
Population ² : Gender Race Age	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
	644	592	1,226	7	3	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
	71	79	54	68	272	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	107	262	351	244	964	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 1,236					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree		
	85%		17%			87%		24%		
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Farm (37.1%) Incomplete data (31.6%) State and local government (11.5%)					Retail trade (12.4%) State and local government (12%) Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
	(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)					N/A				
Unemployment Rate ³	2.4%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$25,917					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$20,617					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	21.5%		29%	19%	17%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	8%	21.5%		38%	47%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	7.0%		19.6%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	21% (142)		31% (72)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	11.8 (n = 78)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	11.8 (n = 78)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age: by Gender, Race ¹ at Death ⁵ (number of deaths)	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
	40.8	42.6	41.7	23.3	41.6	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
	77	84	80.5	n/a	80.5	75	81	79	62	78
	(35)	(43)	(78)	(0)	(78)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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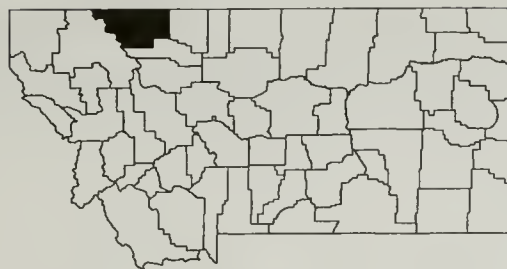
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Garfield			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women	Teen	All Women				
	17.9 (n=4)	71.6 (n=78)	36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)				
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy	1 st Trimester	Adequacy				
	79.5%	73.1%	82.8%	73.2%				
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	7.7%		6.8%					
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	0.0		6.8					
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	365.9 (95% C.I. ±137.8)		474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)					
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE		1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE					
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	424.6 (n=28)		221.2 (n=9,913)					
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	278.9		203.4					
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	30.3 (n=2)		24.5 (n=1,097)					
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	15.2 (n=1)		18.5 (n=830)					
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	45.5 (n=3)		55.6 (n=2,490)					
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	9.6% (n=11)		9.8% (n=10,833)					
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	14.0%		17.7%					
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	100% (n=7)		90% (n=2,439)					
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	45.5 (n=3)		207.0 (n=9,277)					
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Garfield			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals	CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals	CAH	# beds		
	0	1	4	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA	40	2,902		
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		
	0	0	0	40	20	14		
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic			Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties				
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	Garfield County Locations						
	1	Jordan						
	0	N/A						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	1 (24 beds)			100 (7,374 beds)				
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)	AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)	AFC	ADC		
	0 (0)	0	0	174 (3,597)	119	63		
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA	Hospice		HHA	Hospice			
	1	0		76	31			
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	0.6	<0.1	0	0	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	0	0	0	1	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	0 dentists		1 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSA: All							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	Mental Health HPSA: Yes				Dental HPSA: All			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: All							

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County Seat: Cut Bank

Glacier County Health Department

1210 E Main

Cut Bank, MT 59427

406-873-2924

Health Officer: Randy Webb, MD

The Blackfeet Reservation is located primarily in Glacier County.

DEMOGRAPHICS	Glacier					Montana				
Area	2,995 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	4.4/ sq. mi. (frontier)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	57.9%					54.1%				
Population ² : Gender Race Age	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
	6,524	6,658	4,591	8,276	315	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
	1,100	1,088	1,010	1,158	4,356	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	1,415	3,325	2,806	1,280	8,826	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 13,182					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree		
	79%		17%			87%		24%		
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	State and local government (26.7%) Accommodation/food services (12.5%) Incomplete data (12.4%)					Retail trade (12.4%) State and local government (12%) Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
	None					None				
	(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)									
Unemployment Rate ³	11.7%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$27,921					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$18,192					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	27.3%		33%	24%	20%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	11%	27.3%		45%	57%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	36.1%		10.6%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	19% (1,276)		46% (543)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	18.3 (n = 1,186)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	8.5 (n = 551)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age:	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
	28.9	32.4	40.4	24.8	30.6	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
	64.5	76	78.5	62.5	70	75	81	79	62	78
	(300)	(251)	(230)	(320)	(551)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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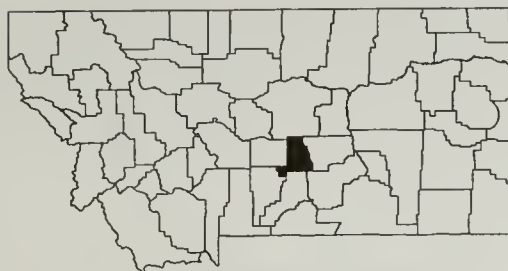
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Glacier			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women			
	91.8 (n=283)	86.8 (n=1,186)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)			
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy			
	67.9%	52.6%		82.8%	73.2%			
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	5.1%			6.8%				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	5.1			6.8				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	462.2 (95% C.I. ±58.6)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. CANCER 2. HEART DISEASE 3. ACCIDENT			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE				
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	162.4 (n=105)			221.2 (n=9,913)				
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	211.2			203.4				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	65 (n=42)			24.5 (n=1,097)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	12.4 (n=8)			18.5 (n=830)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	72.7 (n=47)			55.6 (n=2,490)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	22.1% (n=241)			9.8% (n=10,833)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	5.3%			17.7%				
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	94% (n=66)			90% (n=2,439)				
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	1,307.2 (n=845)			207.0 (n=9,277)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Glacier			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals	CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals	CAH	# beds		
	0	1	20	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA	40	2,902		
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		
	1	1	1	40	20	14		
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic			Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties				
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	Glacier County Locations						
	3	Babb, Browning, Cut Bank						
	1	Cut Bank						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	2 (86 beds)			100 (7,374 beds)				
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)	AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)	AFC	ADC		
	1 (12)	0	0	174 (3,597)	119	63		
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA	Hospice		HHA	Hospice			
	3	0		76	31			
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	0.7	0.5	0	0	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	20	0	7	5	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	2 dentists		2 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSA: All							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	Mental Health HPSA: Yes				Dental HPSA: All			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: All							

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⁷ 1998-2002, age-adjusted, Montana Tumor Registry, DPHHS.



County Seat: Ryegate

Central Montana Health District
305 W Watson (Nurses); 712 W Main (Other)
Lewistown, MT 59457
406-538-7433; 406-538-8892
Health Officer: Jan Leishman-Donahue

The county is served by a multi-county health department centered in Fergus County.

DEMOGRAPHICS	Golden Valley					Montana				
Area	1,175 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	0.9/ sq. mi. (frontier)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	0.0%					54.1%				
Population ² :	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
Gender	555	519	1,066	7	1	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
Race	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
Age	75	75	63	74	287	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	97	233	297	160	787	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 1,074					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree		
	71%		16%			87%		24%		
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Farm (36.8%)					Retail trade (12.4%)				
	Incomplete data (32.1%)					State and local government (12%)				
	State and local government (14.1%)					Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)	N/A					None				
Unemployment Rate ³	6.9%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$27,308					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$17,318					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	25.8%		22%	27%	22%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	16%	25.8%		39%	52%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	14.4%		18.2%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	20% (112)		41% (70)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	11.7 (n = 61)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	7.3 (n = 38)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age:	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
by Gender, Race ¹	40.9	42.2	41.3	43.0	41.5	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
at Death ⁵	71.5	79	76	51	75	75	81	79	62	78
(number of deaths)	(22)	(16)	(37)	(1)	(38)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

¹ Census 2000.

² 2002 Census Bureau estimate.

³ 2003 MT Dept. Labor & Industry.

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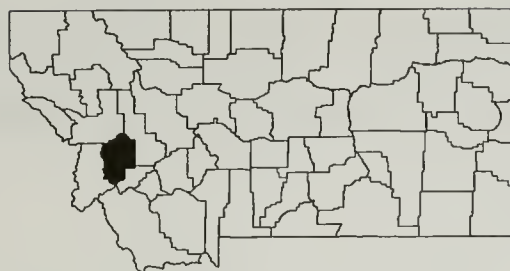
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Golden Valley			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women			
	15.1 (n=3)	68.4 (n=61)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)			
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy			
	65.6%	45.9%		82.8%	73.2%			
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	6.6%			6.8%				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	0.0			6.8				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	592.8 (95% C.I. ±195.1)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. CANCER 2. HEART DISEASE 3. ACCIDENT			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE				
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	154 (n=8)			221.2 (n=9,913)				
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	130.0			203.4				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	19.2 (n=1)			24.5 (n=1,097)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	0 (n=0)			18.5 (n=830)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	115.5 (n=6)			55.6 (n=2,490)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	13.4% (n=17)			9.8% (n=10,833)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	14.2%			17.7%				
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	N/A			90% (n=2,439)				
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	57.7 (n=3)			207.0 (n=9,277)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Golden Valley			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds
	0		0	0	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA		40	2,902
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	
	0	0	0		40	20	14	
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic				Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties			
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	Golden Valley County Locations						
	2	Ryegate						
	0	N/A						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	0 (0 beds)				100 (7,374 beds)			
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC
	0 (0)		0	0	174 (3,597)		119	63
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA		Hospice		HHA		Hospice	
	0		0		76		31	
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	Central MT Health District (Fergus Co)				124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	0	0	0	0	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	0 dentists		0 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSA: All							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	Mental Health HPSA: Yes				Dental HPSA: All			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: All							

⁶ 1998-2002, Office of Vital Statistics, DPHHS

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County Seat: Philipsburg

Granite County Health Department

PO Box 312
Drummond, MT 59832
406-288-0330

Health Officer: Michelle Corbin, MD

DEMOGRAPHICS	Granite					Montana				
Area	1,727 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	1.7/ sq. mi. (frontier)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	0.0%					54.1%				
Population ² : Gender Race Age	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
	1,467	1,406	2,794	44	35	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
	119	145	167	218	649	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	209	654	903	458	2,224	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 2,873					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)			Bachelor Degree		HS Graduate (or GED)			Bachelor Degree	
	88%			22%		87%			24%	
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Incomplete data (38.7%)					Retail trade (12.4%)				
	State and local government (12.1%)					State and local government (12%)				
	Farm (10.7%)					Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)	Retail Trade (10%)					None				
Unemployment Rate ³	6.9%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$27,813					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$22,704					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	16.8%		24%	14%	9%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	6%	16.8%		30%	42%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	10.9%		15.4%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	21% (344)		44% (187)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	7.3 (n = 101)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	10.9 (n = 151)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age:	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
by Gender, Race ¹	42.6	42.9	43.1	38.5	42.8	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
at Death ⁵	76	83	79	71	79	75	81	79	62	78
(number of deaths)	(92)	(59)	(149)	(2)	(151)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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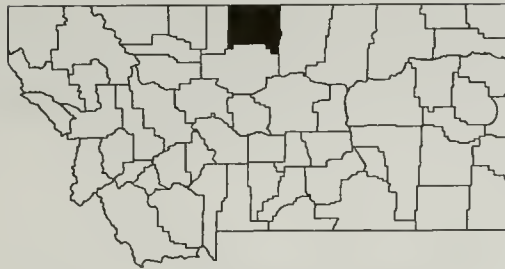
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Granite			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen		All Women	Teen		All Women		
	5.7 (n=3)		41.3 (n=101)	36.2 (n=6,357)		59.5 (n=54,508)		
	1 st Trimester		Adequacy	1 st Trimester		Adequacy		
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	78.2%		71.3%	82.8%		73.2%		
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	3.0%			6.8%				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	0.0			6.8				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	326.1 (95% C.I. ±85.7)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CLRD			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE				
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	337.8 (n=47)			221.2 (n=9,913)				
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	267.4			203.4				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	14.4 (n=2)			24.5 (n=1,097)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	21.6 (n=3)			18.5 (n=830)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	71.9 (n=10)			55.6 (n=2,490)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	7.1% (n=40)			9.8% (n=10,833)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	8.0%			17.7%				
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	35% (n=8)			90% (n=2,439)				
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	14.4 (n=2)			207.0 (n=9,277)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Granite			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds
	0		1	5	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA		40	2,902
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	
	2	0	0		40	20	14	
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic				Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties			
Availability of Emergency Medical Services:	#	Granite County Locations						
Basic Life Support Services	2	Drummond, Philipsburg						
Advanced Life Support Services	0	N/A						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	1 (28 beds)				100 (7,374 beds)			
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC
	0 (0)		0	1	174 (3,597)		119	63
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA		Hospice		HHA		Hospice	
	1		0		76		31	
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	1	0.5	0	0	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	2	0	1	1	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	0 dentists		2 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSA: All							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	Mental Health HPSA: Yes				Dental HPSA: Drummond CCD			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: All							

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County Seat: Havre

Hill County Health Department
315 4th Street
Havre, MT 59501
406-265-5481 x 266
Health Officer: Bruce Richardson, MD

The Rocky Boy's Reservation is located primarily in Hill County.

DEMOGRAPHICS	Hill					Montana				
Area	2,896 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	5.6/ sq. mi. (frontier)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	62.5%					54.1%				
Population ² :	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
Gender	8,168	8,175	12,880	3,039	424	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
Race	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
Age	1,232	1,075	1,039	1,070	4,416	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	1,999	3,973	3,829	2,126	11,927	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 16,343					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree		
	87%		20%			87%		24%		
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	State and local government (19.2%)					Retail trade (12.4%)				
	Retail trade (12.5%)					State and local government (12%)				
	Incomplete data (12.2%)					Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)	None					None				
Unemployment Rate ³	3.9%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$30,781					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$24,437					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	18.4%		24%	16%	9%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	7%	18.4%		28%	43%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	21.4%		14.8%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	17% (1,531)		38% (773)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	16.3 (n = 1,368)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	9.0 (n = 754)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age:	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
by Gender, Race ¹	32.9	36.0	38.1	22.1	34.5	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
at Death ⁵	74	81	78	63	77	75	81	79	62	78
(number of deaths)	(371)	(383)	(661)	(90)	(754)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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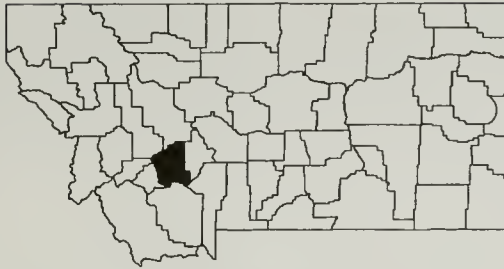
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Hill			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women	Teen	All Women				
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	58.8 (n=206)	79.7 (n=1,368)	36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)				
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy	1 st Trimester	Adequacy				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	72.0%	64.6%	82.8%	73.2%				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	7.2%		6.8%					
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	6.6		6.8					
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	502.5 (95% C.I. ±48.8)		474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)					
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CLRD		1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE					
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	257.4 (n=216)		221.2 (n=9,913)					
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	243.5		203.4					
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	19.1 (n=16)		24.5 (n=1,097)					
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	16.7 (n=14)		18.5 (n=830)					
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	51.2 (n=43)		55.6 (n=2,490)					
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	11.4% (n=228)		9.8% (n=10,833)					
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	11.3%		17.7%					
	96% (n=97)		90% (n=2,439)					
	491.0 (n=412)		207.0 (n=9,277)					
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Hill			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals	CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals	CAH	# beds		
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	1 local	0	49	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA	40	2,902		
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		
Availability of Emergency Medical Services:	2	0	1	40	20	14		
Basic Life Support Services	Basic			Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties				
Advanced Life Support Services	#	Hill County Locations						
	2	Box Elder, Rudyard						
	1	Havre						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	1 (136 beds)			100 (7,374 beds)				
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)	AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)	AFC	ADC		
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	1 (10)	4	1	174 (3,597)	119	63		
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	HHA	Hospice		HHA	Hospice			
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	1	1		76	31			
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	6.25	1	0	0	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	17	1	4	3	881	34	314	264
	7 dentists		6 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
	Federal HPSA: All							
	Mental Health HPSA: Yes				Dental HPSA: All			
	MUA/MUP: None							

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⁷ 1998-2002, age-adjusted, Montana Tumor Registry, DPHHS



County Seat: Boulder

Jefferson County Health Department

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Health Officer: Joel Cleary, MD

The EPA listed the Basin Mining Area to the Superfund National Priorities List in 1999; the Basin Mining Area site is located within the Boulder River watershed.

DEMOGRAPHICS	Jefferson					Montana				
Area	1,657 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	6.3/ sq. mi. (rural)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	0.0%					54.1%				
Population ² :	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
Gender	5,188	5,201	10,032	133	224	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
Race	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
Age	494	615	701	809	2,619	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	839	2,547	3,317	1,067	7,770	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 10,389					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree		
	90%		28%			87%		24%		
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Incomplete data (16.8%)					Retail trade (12.4%)				
	State and local government (15.3%)					State and local government (12%)				
	Construction (10%)					Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)	Retail trade (10%)					None				
Unemployment Rate ³	4.3%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$41,506					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$25,696					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	9.0%		11%	8%	10%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	3%	9.0%		18%	26%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	9.2%		13.1%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	15% (884)		40% (394)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	8.6 (n = 439)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	8.1 (n = 415)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age:	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
by Gender, Race ¹	40.3	40.1	40.6	30.5	40.2	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
at Death ⁵	74	80	77	72	76	75	81	79	62	78
(number of deaths)	(216)	(199)	(406)	(9)	(415)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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² 2002 Census Bureau estimate.

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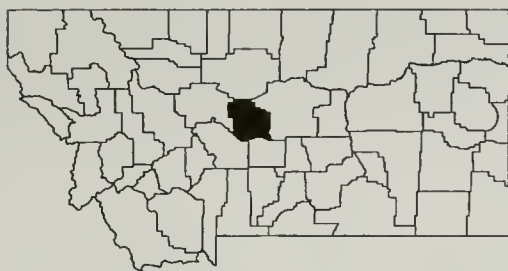
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Jefferson			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women			
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	17.1 (n=36)	43.3 (n=439)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)			
	1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy			
	90.0%	83.4%		82.8%	73.2%			
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	5.2%			6.8%				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	2.3			6.8				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	482.8 (95% C.I. ±66.1)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. CANCER 2. HEART DISEASE 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3 CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE				
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	170 (n=87)			221.2 (n=9,913)				
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	202.4			203.4				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	23.5 (n=12)			24.5 (n=1,097)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	17.6 (n=9)			18.5 (n=830)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	54.7 (n=28)			55.6 (n=2,490)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	9.8% (n=179)			9.8% (n=10,833)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	23.0%			17.7%				
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	50% (n=4)			90% (n=2,439)				
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	78.2 (n=40)			207.0 (n=9,277)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Jefferson			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds
	0		0	0	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA		40	2,902
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	
	1	0	0		40	20	14	
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic + Enhanced				Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties			
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	Jefferson County Locations						
	7	Basin, Boulder, Clancy, Jefferson City, Whitehall						
	0	N/A						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	2 (177 beds)				100 (7,374 beds)			
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC
	4 (47)		2	2	174 (3,597)		119	63
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA		Hospice		HHA		Hospice	
	2		0		76		31	
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	0.5	0.9	0	0	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	8	2	4	2	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	4 dentists		8 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSA: All							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	Mental Health HPSA: Yes				Dental HPSA: All			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: None							

⁶ 1998-2002, Office of Vital Statistics, DPHHS.

⁷ 1998-2002, age-adjusted, Montana Tumor Registry, DPHHS



County Seat: Stanford

Central Montana Health District

305 W Watson (Nurses); 712 W Main (Other)

Lewistown, MT 59457

406-538-7433; 406-538-8892

Health Officer: Jan Leishman-Donahue

The county is served by a multi-county health department centered in Fergus County. The Barker-Hughesville Superfund NPL site, listed in 2001, is located in Cascade and Judith Basin Counties.

DEMOGRAPHICS	Judith Basin					Montana				
Area	1,870 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	1.2/ sq. mi. (frontier)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	0.0%					54.1%				
Population ² : Gender Race Age	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
	1,164	1,081	2,222	8	15	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
	83	147	151	142	523	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	159	476	700	387	1,722	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 2,245					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree		
	88%		24%			87%		24%		
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Farm (36.9%) Incomplete data (28.5%) State and local government (13.3%)					Retail trade (12.4%) State and local government (12%) Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
	(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)					None				
	N/A									
Unemployment Rate ³	4.4%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$29,241					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$18,404					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	21.1%		31%	18%	13%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	12%	21.1%		31%	48%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	10.9%		18.3%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	16% (201)		36% (145)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	7.8 (n = 89)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	8.8 (n = 100)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age:	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
by Gender, Race ¹	41.9	42.1	42.2	48.0	42.0	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
at Death ⁵	74.5	81	78.5	n/a	78.5	75	81	79	62	78
(number of deaths)	(52)	(48)	(100)	(0)	(100)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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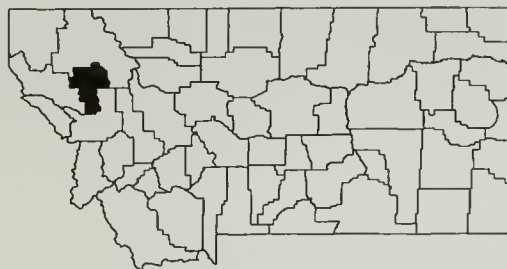
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Judith Basin			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women			
	13.3 (n=5)	48 (n=89)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)			
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy			
	82.0%	75.3%		82.8%	73.2%			
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	2.2%			6.8%				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	11.2			6.8				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	412.7 (95% C.I. ±101.5)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. CANCER 2. HEART DISEASE 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE				
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	227.8 (n=26)			221.2 (n=9,913)				
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	167.9			203.4				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	35 (n=4)			24.5 (n=1,097)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	0 (n=0)			18.5 (n=830)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	70.1 (n=8)			55.6 (n=2,490)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	10.6% (n=38)			9.8% (n=10,833)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	5.7%			17.7%				
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	100% (n=12)			90% (n=2,439)				
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	8.8 (n=1)			207.0 (n=9,277)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Judith Basin			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals	CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals	CAH	# beds		
	0	0	0	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA	40	2,902		
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		
	1	0	0	40	20	14		
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic			Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties				
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	Judith Basin County Locations						
	3	Hobson, Raynesford, Stanford						
	0	N/A						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	0 (0 beds)			100 (7,374 beds)				
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)	AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)	AFC	ADC		
	0 (0)	0	0	174 (3,597)	119	63		
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA	Hospice		HHA	Hospice			
	2	0		76	31			
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	Central MT Health District (Fergus Co)				124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	0	0	1	0	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	0 dentists		1 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPESA: All							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPESA]	Mental Health HPESA: Yes				Dental HPESA: All			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: All							

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⁷ 1998-2002, age-adjusted, Montana Tumor Registry, DPHHS.



County Seat: Polson

Lake County Health Department

802 Main St, Suite A

Polson, MT 59860

406-883-7288

Health Officer: Steven W. Palmieri, DO, PhD

Much of the Flathead Reservation is located in Lake County.

DEMOGRAPHICS	Lake					Montana				
Area	1,494 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	18.1/ sq. mi. (rural)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	16.0%					54.1%				
Population ² : Gender Race Age	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
	13,238	13,746	19,487	6,545	952	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
	1,764	1,796	1,673	1,908	7,141	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	2,552	6,295	7,062	3,934	19,843	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 26,984					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree		
	84%		22%			87%		24%		
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	State and local government (17.7%)					Retail trade (12.4%)				
	Retail trade (11.4%)					State and local government (12%)				
	Health care/social assistance (10.3%)					Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)	Farm					None				
Unemployment Rate ³	6.7%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$28,740					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$19,545					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	18.7%		26%	16%	8%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	7%	18.7%		33%	47%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	19.3%		15.3%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	20% (2,874)		39% (1,435)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	13.2 (n = 1,740)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	9.7 (n = 1,280)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age:	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
	37.3	39.0	42.8	24.0	38.2	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
	73	79	78	61	76	75	81	79	62	78
	(682)	(598)	(1,036)	(241)	(1,280)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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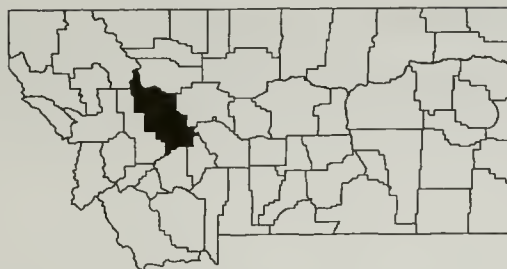
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Lake			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women			
	49.4 (n=270)	68.7 (n=1,740)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)			
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy			
	78.9%	74.1%		82.8%	73.2%			
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	7.6%			6.8%				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	12.6			6.8				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	422.8 (95% C.I. ±33.2)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. CANCER 2. HEART DISEASE 3. ACCIDENT			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE				
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	228 (n=301)			221.2 (n=9,913)				
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	204.5			203.4				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	45.5 (n=60)			24.5 (n=1,097)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	23.5 (n=31)			18.5 (n=830)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	64.4 (n=85)			55.6 (n=2,490)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	16.9% (n=464)			9.8% (n=10,833)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	13.2%			17.7%				
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	93% (n=127)			90% (n=2,439)				
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	398.5 (n=526)			207.0 (n=9,277)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Lake			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds
	1 local		1	64	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA		40	2,902
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	
	1	0	3		40	20	14	
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic				Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties			
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	Lake County Locations						
	1	Charlo						
	4	Arlee, Polson, Ronan, St Ignatius						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	3 (208 beds)				100 (7,374 beds)			
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC
	6 (86)		3	1	174 (3,597)		119	63
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA		Hospice		HHA		Hospice	
	2		1		76		31	
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	4.3	3	0	1	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	24	0	2	9	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	11 dentists		10 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSA: None							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	Mental Health HPSA: Yes				Dental HPSA: None			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: Big Fork-Swan River, Polson & St Ignatius CCDs							

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⁷ 1998-2002, age-adjusted, Montana Tumor Registry, DPHHS



County Seat: Helena

Lewis & Clark City-County Health Department

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Helena, MT 59601
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Health Officer: Joan Miles

EPA added the Upper Tenmile Creek Mining Area to the Superfund National Priorities List in 1999, due to mining waste problems in the watershed. The East Helena Site was listed in 1984; the lead smelter associated with the site closed in 2001.

DEMOGRAPHICS	Lewis & Clark					Montana				
Area	3,461 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	16.3/ sq. mi. (rural)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	69.0%					54.1%				
Population ² :	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
Gender	27,760	28,714	54,072	1,095	1,307	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
Race	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
Age	3,280	3,604	3,176	3,483	13,543	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	5,382	14,670	16,084	6,795	42,931	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 56,474					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)			Bachelor Degree		HS Graduate (or GED)			Bachelor Degree	
	91%			32%		87%			24%	
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	State and local government (18.8%) Retail trade (11.7%) Health care/social assistance (10.9%)					Retail trade (12.4%) State and local government (12%) Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)	None					None				
Unemployment Rate ³	3.9%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$37,360					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$27,453					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	10.9%		14%	10%	7%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	5%	10.9%		19%	29%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	12.1%		14.1%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	17% (5,621)		40% (2,517)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	12.0 (n = 3,319)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	8.3 (n = 2,300)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age:	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
by Gender, Race ¹	37.4	38.7	38.5	30.9	38.0	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
at Death ⁵	74	81	78	71.5	77	75	81	79	62	78
(number of deaths)	(1,158)	(1,142)	(2,240)	(42)	(2,300)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

¹ Census 2000.

² 2002 Census Bureau estimate.

³ 2003 MT Dept. Labor & Industry.

⁴ 2002 U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis.

⁵ 1998-2002, Office of Vital Statistics, DPHHS.

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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Lewis & Clark			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women	Teen	All Women				
	32.2 (n=357)	56.8 (n=3,319)	36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)				
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy	1 st Trimester	Adequacy				
	91.4%	87.8%	82.8%	73.2%				
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	8.7%		6.8%					
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	6.3		6.8					
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	506.3 (95% C.I. ±26.7)		474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)					
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. CANCER 2. HEART DISEASE 3. CLRD		1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE					
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	185.7 (n=513)		221.2 (n=9,913)					
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	191.9		203.4					
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	18.8 (n=52)		24.5 (n=1,097)					
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	21.7 (n=60)		18.5 (n=830)					
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁵	55 (n=152)		55.6 (n=2,490)					
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	7.4% (n=709)		9.8% (n=10,833)					
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	20.6%		17.7%					
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	88% (n=78)		90% (n=2,439)					
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	152.4 (n=421)		207.0 (n=9,277)					
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Lewis & Clark			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals	CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals	CAH	# beds		
	1 local; 1 child psych; 1 VA	0	145	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA	40	2,902		
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		
	0	3	0	40	20	14		
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic + Enhanced			Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties				
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	Lewis & Clark County Locations						
	9	Augusta, Canyon Creek, E Helena, Helena, Wolf Creek						
	7	E Helena, Helena, Lincoln						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	4 (311 beds)			100 (7,374 beds)				
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)	AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)	AFC	ADC		
	11 (224)	19	4	174 (3,597)	119	63		
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA	Hospice		HHA	Hospice			
	3	3		76	31			
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	8.35	5.5	0.6	7.2	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	65	2	22	8	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	39 dentists		37 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSA: Augusta, Lincoln, & Wolf Creek CCDs							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	Mental Health HPSA: No				Dental HPSA: None			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: Augusta, Lincoln, & Wolf Creek CCDs; Helena CCD low income							

⁶ 1998-2002, Office of Vital Statistics, DPHHS

⁷ 1998-2002, age-adjusted, Montana Tumor Registry, DPHHS



County Seat: Chester

Liberty County Board of Health

PO Box 506
Chester, MT 59522
406-759-5181 x 143

Health Officer: Richard S Buker Jr, MD

DEMOGRAPHICS	Liberty					Montana				
Area	1,430 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	1.4/ sq. mi. (frontier)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	0.0%					54.1%				
Population ² : Gender Race Age	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
	1,004	1,024	2,017	2	9	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
	91	105	122	146	464	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	152	423	553	436	1,564	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 2,028					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree		
	75%		18%			87%		24%		
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Incomplete data (38.3%)					Retail trade (12.4%)				
	Farm (28.6%)					State and local government (12%)				
	Health care/social assistance (12.5%)					Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)	State and local government (12%)					None				
Unemployment Rate ³	3.0%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$30,284					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$22,571					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	20.3%		29%	17%	16%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	9%	20.3%		29%	41%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	5.0%		33.2%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	16% (172)		32% (114)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	8.4 (n = 91)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	10.8 (n = 117)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age: by Gender, Race ¹ at Death ⁵ (number of deaths)	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
	40.6	42.4	41.5	81.0	41.5	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
	79.5	83	82	n/a	82	75	81	79	62	78
	(46)	(71)	(117)	(0)	(117)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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² 2002 Census Bureau estimate.

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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Liberty			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women			
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	20.5 (n=9)	49.1 (n=91)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)			
	1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy			
	73.6%	70.3%		82.8%	73.2%			
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	11.0%			6.8%				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	11.0			6.8				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	465.9 (95% C.I. ±111.6)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE				
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	304.3 (n=33)			221.2 (n=9,913)				
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	154.5			203.4				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	46.1 (n=5)			24.5 (n=1,097)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	0 (n=0)			18.5 (n=830)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	36.9 (n=4)			55.6 (n=2,490)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	15.5% (n=16)			9.8% (n=10,833)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	16.8%			17.7%				
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	90% (n=18)			90% (n=2,439)				
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	101.4 (n=11)			207.0 (n=9,277)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Liberty			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals	CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals	CAH	# beds		
	0	1	11	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA	40	2,902		
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		
	1	0	0	40	20	14		
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic			Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties				
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	Liberty County Locations						
	2	Chester						
	0	N/A						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	1 (47 beds)			100 (7,374 beds)				
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)	AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)	AFC	ADC		
	1 (19)	0	1	174 (3,597)	119	63		
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA	Hospice		HHA	Hospice			
	1	0		76	31			
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	2	0	0	1	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	1 dentists		0 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSA: Low income population; Cooperative Health Center							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	Mental Health HPSA: Yes				Dental HPSA: Cooperative Health Center			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: All							

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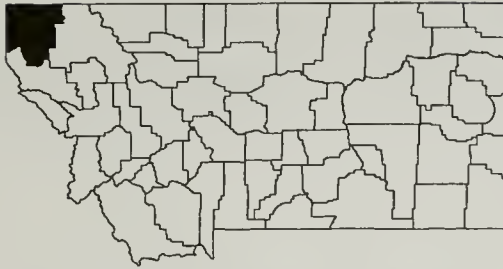
Lincoln County Health Department

418 Main Avenue

Libby, MT 59923

406-293-2660

Health Officer: Brad Black, MD



County Seat: Libby

The Libby Asbestos Removal EPA Superfund Site was listed in 2002; this site is a result of years of vermiculite mining in the area.

DEMOGRAPHICS	Lincoln					Montana				
Area	3,613 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	5.2/ sq. mi. (frontier)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	22.6%					54.1%				
Population ² : Gender Race Age	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
	9,498	9,224	18,082	245	395	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
	906	1,038	1,120	1,283	4,347	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	1,418	4,082	5,851	3,024	14,375	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 18,722					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree		
	80%		14%			87%		24%		
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Retail trade (11.7%) State and local government (10.3%) Health care/social assistance (9.9%)					Retail trade (12.4%) State and local government (12%) Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
	(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)					None				
Unemployment Rate ³	15.9%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$26,754					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$19,559					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	19.2%		27%	17%	11%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	8%	19.2%		34%	48%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	19.3%		19.7%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	24% (2,568)		44% (1,205)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	9.8 (n = 922)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	10.4 (n = 972)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age: by Gender, Race ¹ at Death ⁵ (number of deaths)	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
	42.1	42.1	42.5	34.0	42.1	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
	73	78	75	63	75	75	81	79	62	78
	(539)	(433)	(962)	(9)	(972)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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² 2002 Census Bureau estimate.

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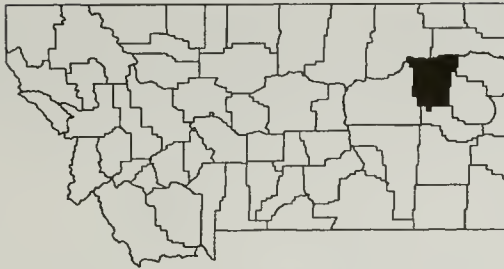
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Lincoln			Montana		
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women	
	40.6 (n=146)	54.9 (n=922)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)	
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy	
	74.8%	72.1%		82.8%	73.2%	
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	5.4%			6.8%		
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	9.8			6.8		
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	510.3 (95% C.I. ±42.5)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)		
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE		
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	279.3 (n=262)			221.2 (n=9,913)		
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	245.2			203.4		
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	33 (n=31)			24.5 (n=1,097)		
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	21.3 (n=20)			18.5 (n=830)		
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	70.4 (n=66)			55.6 (n=2,490)		
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	13.1% (n=211)			9.8% (n=10,833)		
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	14.1%			17.7%		
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	92% (n=57)			90% (n=2,439)		
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	72.5 (n=68)			207.0 (n=9,277)		
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Lincoln			Montana		
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals	
	0		1	23	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA	
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		RHC	CHC
	1	1	0		40	20
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic			Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties		
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	Lincoln County Locations				
	2	Eureka, Troy				
	2	Libby, Troy				
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	2 (150 beds)			100 (7,374 beds)		
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)	
	0 (0)		2	1	174 (3,597)	
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA		Hospice		HHA	
	1		1		76	
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS
	4	1	0	0	124.4	84.5
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW
	15	0	7	2	881	34
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	9 dentists		7 hygienists		505 dentists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status: Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA] Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	Federal HPSA: Eureka CCD; low income population Libby & Troy CCDs					
	Mental Health HPSA: Yes			Dental HPSA: All		
	MUA/MUP: All					

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⁷ 1998-2002, age-adjusted, Montana Tumor Registry, DPHHS



County Seat: Circle

McCone County Public Health Department

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Circle, MT 59215
406-485-2444

Health Officer: Patti Wittkopp, PA-C

DEMOGRAPHICS	McCone					Montana				
Area	2,643 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	0.7/ sq. mi. (frontier)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	0.0%					54.1%				
Population ² : Gender Race Age	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
	928	920	1,801	25	22	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
	94	119	102	117	432	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	116	387	554	359	1,416	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 1,848					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree		
	86%		16%			87%		24%		
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Farm (36.1%) Incomplete data (28.7%) State and local government (12.6%)					Retail trade (12.4%) State and local government (12%) Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
	(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)					N/A				
Unemployment Rate ³	2.4%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$29,718					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$19,202					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	16.8%		20%	16%	11%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	6%	16.8%		29%	41%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	6.0%		19.3%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	12% (121)		42% (158)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	8.5 (n = 82)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	9.0 (n = 86)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age: by Gender, Race ¹ at Death ⁵ (number of deaths)	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
	42.7	42.1	43.1	21.5	42.4	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
	78.5	81	79	n/a	79	75	81	79	62	78
	(44)	(42)	(86)	(0)	(86)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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² 2002 Census Bureau estimate.

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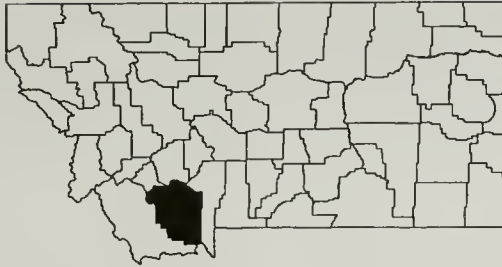
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	McCone			Montana		
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women	
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	14.5 (n=5)	52.7 (n=82)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)	
	1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy	
	84.1%	71.6%		82.8%	73.2%	
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	2.4%			6.8%		
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	0.0			6.8		
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	411.3 (95% C.I. ±119.7)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)		
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CLRD			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE		
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	239.6 (n=23)			221.2 (n=9,913)		
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	171.3			203.4		
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	20.8 (n=2)			24.5 (n=1,097)		
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	31.3 (n=3)			18.5 (n=830)		
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	41.7 (n=4)			55.6 (n=2,490)		
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	10.8% (n=18)			9.8% (n=10,833)		
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	13.6%			17.7%		
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	100% (n=13)			90% (n=2,439)		
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	62.5 (n=6)			207.0 (n=9,277)		
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	McCone			Montana		
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals		CAH # beds	Local Hospitals		CAH # beds
	0		1 8	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA		40 2,902
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal
	0	0	0	40	20	14
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic			Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties		
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	McCone County Locations				
	1	Circle				
	0	N/A				
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	1 (30 beds)			100 (7,374 beds)		
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)		AFC ADC	ALF (# beds)		AFC ADC
	0 (0)		0 1	174 (3,597)		119 63
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA		Hospice	HHA		Hospice
	1		0	76		31
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD HlthEd
	0.75	< 0.1	0 0	124.4	84.5	14.0 41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP PA-C
	1	0	1 1	881	34	314 264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	0 dentists		0 hygienists	505 dentists		437 hygienists
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSA: All					
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	Mental Health HPSA: Yes			Dental HPSA: All		
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: All					

⁶ 1998-2002, Office of Vital Statistics, DPHHS.

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County Seat: Virginia City

Madison County Public Health Department

PO Box 278
Virginia City, MT 59755
406-843-4295

Health Officers: Sarah Googe, MD

DEMOGRAPHICS	Madison					Montana				
Area	3,587 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	1.9/ sq. mi. (frontier)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	0.0%					54.1%				
Population ² : Gender Race Age	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
	3,514	3,447	6,827	43	91	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
	307	331	377	424	1,439	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	483	1,636	2,198	1,205	5,522	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 6,961					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree		
	90%		26%			87%		24%		
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Farm (16.5%) Construction (13.2%) State and local government (11.3%)					Retail trade (12.4%) State and local government (12%) Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
	Retail trade					None				
(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)										
Unemployment Rate ³	3.9%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$30,233					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$22,533					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	12.1%		15%	11%	9%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	5%	12.1%		26%	38%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	7.2%		17.4%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	14% (544)		37% (418)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	7.8 (n = 269)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	10.5 (n = 361)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age:	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
by Gender, Race ¹	43.5	43.2	43.8	45.0	43.4	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
at Death ⁵	75.5	82	79	60	78	75	81	79	62	78
(number of deaths)	(166)	(195)	(359)	(1)	(361)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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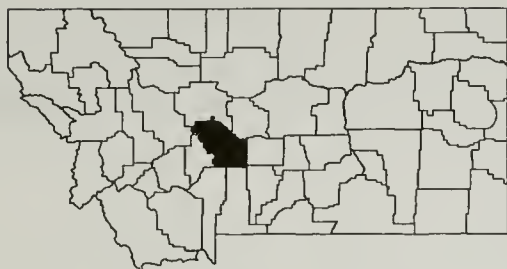
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Madison			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women			
	14.6 (n=18)	44.3 (n=269)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)			
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy			
	82.5%	73.1%		82.8%	73.2%			
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	5.9%			6.8%				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	3.7			6.8				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	373.5 (95% C.I. ±56.4)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1 HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE			1 HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE				
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	332.9 (n=115)			221.2 (n=9,913)				
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	248.5			203.4				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	23.2 (n=8)			24.5 (n=1,097)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	28.9 (n=10)			18.5 (n=830)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	69.5 (n=24)			55.6 (n=2,490)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	14.1% (n=95)			9.8% (n=10,833)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	12.1%			17.7%				
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	57% (n=13)			90% (n=2,439)				
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	23.2 (n=8)			207.0 (n=9,277)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Madison			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals	CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals	CAH	# beds		
	0	2	19	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA	40	2,902		
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		
	3	1	0	40	20	14		
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic			Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties				
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	Madison County Locations						
	7	Alder, Cameron, Harrison, Sheridan, Twin Bridges, Virginia City						
	1	Ennis						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	2 (79 beds)			100 (7,374 beds)				
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)	AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)	AFC	ADC		
	1 (8)	0	2	174 (3,597)	119	63		
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA	Hospice		HHA	Hospice			
	2	1		76	31			
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	1	1	0	0	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	4	0	2	2	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	2 dentists		4 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSA: All							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	Mental Health HPSA: Yes				Dental HPSA: All			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: Sheridan CCD							

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County Seat: White Sulphur Springs

Meagher County Health Department

15 West Main
White Sulphur Springs, MT 59645
406-547-3612 x 124

Health Officer: Marc Steinberg, MD

DEMOGRAPHICS	Meagher					Montana				
Area	2,392 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	0.8/ sq. mi. (frontier)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	0.0%					54.1%				
Population ² : Gender Race Age	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
	962	971	1,904	22	7	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
	93	127	103	113	436	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	145	413	580	359	1,497	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 1,933					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree		
	83%		19%			87%		24%		
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Incomplete data (47.8%)					Retail trade (12.4%)				
	Farm (20.7%)					State and local government (12%)				
	State and local government (11.2%)					Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)	N/A					None				
Unemployment Rate ³	5.4%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$29,375					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$21,810					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	18.9%		27%	16%	13%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	10%	18.9%		30%	45%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	11.6%		19.9%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	14% (145)		36% (119)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	11.6 (n = 109)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	11.5 (n = 108)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age: by Gender, Race ¹ at Death ⁵ (number of deaths)	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
	42.7	42.8	42.9	38.5	42.8	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
	77	84	79	76	79	75	81	79	62	78
	(65)	(43)	(107)	(1)	(108)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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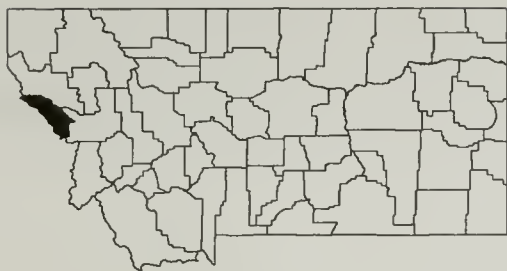
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Meagher			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women			
	58.2 (n=21)	67.7 (n=109)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)			
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy			
	70.6%	60.6%		82.8%	73.2%			
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	10.1%			6.8%				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	18.3			6.8				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	459.4 (95% C.I. ±120.3)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE				
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	404.7 (n=38)			221.2 (n=9,913)				
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	304.7			203.4				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	32 (n=3)			24.5 (n=1,097)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	21.3 (n=2)			18.5 (n=830)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	53.3 (n=5)			55.6 (n=2,490)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	14.9% (n=30)			9.8% (n=10,833)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	9.3%			17.7%				
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	100% (n=18)			90% (n=2,439)				
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	32.0 (n=3)			207.0 (n=9,277)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Meagher			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals	CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals	CAH	# beds		
	0	1	6	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA	40	2,902		
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		
	1	0	0	40	20	14		
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic + Enhanced			Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties				
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	Meagher County Locations						
	1	White Sulphur Springs						
	0	N/A						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	1 (31 beds)			100 (7,374 beds)				
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)	AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)	AFC	ADC		
	0 (0)	0	0	174 (3,597)	119	63		
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA	Hospice		HHA	Hospice			
	2	0		76	31			
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	0.75	0.2	0	0	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	3	0	0	2	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	1 dentists		0 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSSA: None							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSSA]	Mental Health HPSSA: Yes				Dental HPSSA: None			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: All							

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⁷ 1998-2002, age-adjusted, Montana Tumor Registry, DPHHS



County Seat: Superior

Mineral County Health Department

PO Box 488
Superior, MT 59872
406-822-3564

Health Officer: Robert Parrott, MD

DEMOGRAPHICS	Mineral					Montana				
Area	1,220 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	3.1/ sq. mi. (frontier)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	0.0%					54.1%				
Population ² : Gender Race Age	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
	1,969	1,851	3,645	81	94	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
	177	215	195	255	842	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	295	903	1,169	611	2,978	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 3,820					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree		
	83%		12%			87%		24%		
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Retail trade (17.8%) State and local government (13.9%) Accommodation/food services (10.5%)					Retail trade (12.4%) State and local government (12%) Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
	(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)					None				
Unemployment Rate ³	9.0%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$27,143					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$20,619					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	15.8%		19%	15%	9%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	7%	15.8%		32%	46%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	24.5%		22.4%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	23% (508)		42% (217)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	10.2 (n = 195)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	9.1 (n = 174)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age:	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
by Gender, Race ¹	41.2	41.0	41.6	26.8	41.1	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
at Death ⁵	72.5	80	77	44	77	75	81	79	62	78
(number of deaths)	(98)	(76)	(171)	(2)	(174)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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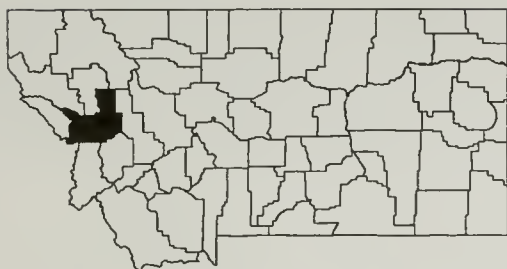
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Mineral			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women			
	37.2 (n=26)	57.2 (n=195)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)			
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy			
	80.5%	72.8%		82.8%	73.2%			
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	7.2%			6.8%				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	5.1			6.8				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	457.3 (95% C.I. ±89.3)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. CANCER 2. HEART DISEASE 3. ACCIDENT			1 HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE				
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	223.9 (n=43)			221.2 (n=9,913)				
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	209.2			203.4				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	31.2 (n=6)			24.5 (n=1,097)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	31.2 (n=6)			18.5 (n=830)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	109.4 (n=21)			55.6 (n=2,490)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	7.9% (n=110)			9.8% (n=10,833)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	15.5%			17.7%				
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	84% (n=16)			90% (n=2,439)				
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	78.1 (n=15)			207.0 (n=9,277)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Mineral			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds
	0		1	10	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA		40	2,902
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	
	1	0	0		40	20	14	
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic				Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties			
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	Mineral County Locations						
	3	DeBorgia, St Regis, Superior						
	0	N/A						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	1 (20 beds)				100 (7,374 beds)			
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC
	2 (19)		1	0	174 (3,597)		119	63
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA		Hospice		HHA		Hospice	
	1		0		76		31	
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	0.75	1	0	0	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	2	0	1	1	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	1 dentists		0 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSA: All							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	Mental Health HPSA: Yes				Dental HPSA: None			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: All							

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County Seat: Missoula

Missoula City-County Health Department

301 W Alder St

Missoula, MT 59802

406-258-4770

Health Officer: Ellen Leahy

Listed in 1983, the Milltown Reservoir Sediments remains an active Superfund NPL site. Missoula is the second largest city (population 59,377 in 2002) and one of three metropolitan areas in Montana.

DEMOGRAPHICS	Missoula					Montana				
Area	2,598 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	37.7/ sq. mi. (rural)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	72.5%					54.1%				
Population ² : Gender Race Age	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
	48,970	48,912	92,237	2,426	3,219	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
	5,402	5,666	4,966	5,405	21,439	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	13,941	28,706	23,938	9,858	76,443	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 97,882					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree		
	91%		33%			87%		24%		
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Retail trade (13.6%)					Retail trade (12.4%)				
	Health care/social assistance (12.9%)					State and local government (12%)				
	State and local government (11.5%)					Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)	None					None				
Unemployment Rate ³	3.9%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$34,454					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$26,823					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	14.8%		15%	15%	8%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	6%	14.8%		25%	35%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	11.6%		11.7%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	15% (8,505)		39% (3,681)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	11.8 (n = 5,548)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	7.0 (n = 3,284)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age: by Gender, Race ¹ at Death ⁵ (number of deaths)	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
	32.0	34.4	34.0	24.7	33.2	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
	75	82	79	57.5	78	75	81	79	62	78
	(1,634)	(1,650)	(3,218)	(48)	(3,284)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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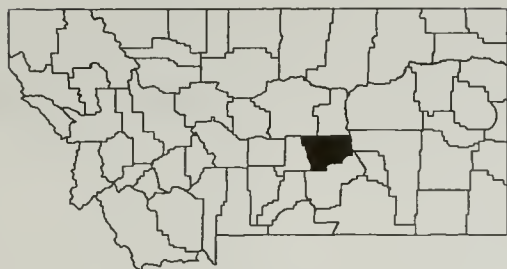
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Missoula			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women			
	24.9 (n=486)	49.5 (n=5,548)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)			
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy			
	85.7%	79.9%		82.8%	73.2%			
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	6.6%			6.8%				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	5.0			6.8				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	445.3 (95% C.I. ±20.5)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. CANCER 2. HEART DISEASE 3. CLRD			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE				
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	159.7 (n=749)			221.2 (n=9,913)				
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	184.0			203.4				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	19.2 (n=90)			24.5 (n=1,097)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	16.4 (n=77)			18.5 (n=830)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	50.1 (n=235)			55.6 (n=2,490)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	10.4% (n=1,250)			9.8% (n=10,833)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	19.9%			17.7%				
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	84% (n=208)			90% (n=2,439)				
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	177.4 (n=832)			207.0 (n=9,277)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Missoula			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds
	2 local		0	359	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA		40	2,902
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	
	0	2	0		40	20	14	
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic + Enhanced				Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties			
Availability of Emergency Medical Services:	#	Missoula County Locations						
Basic Life Support Services	7	Clinton, Condon, Missoula, Potomac, Seeley Lake						
Advanced Life Support Services	10	Frenchtown, Missoula						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	5 (430 beds)				100 (7,374 beds)			
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC
	18 (415)		18	4	174 (3,597)		119	63
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA		Hospice		HHA		Hospice	
	2		2		76		31	
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	17	11	3	7	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	101	3	47	28	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	72 dentists		62 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSA: Seeley Lake-Blackfoot Valley CCD							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	Mental Health HPSA: No				Dental HPSA: Low income population			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: All (Governor appointed)							

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County Seat: Roundup

Central Montana Health District
305 W Watson (Nurses); 712 W Main (Other)
Lewistown, MT 59457
406-538-7433; 406-538-8892
Health Officer: Jan Leishman-Donahue

The county is served by a multi-county health department centered in Fergus County.

DEMOGRAPHICS	Musselshell	Montana
Area	1,867 square miles	145,552 square miles
Population Density and Status	2.4/ sq. mi. (frontier)	6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)
Urban Population ¹	0.0%	54.1%
Population ² :	Male Female White Am Ind Other	Male Female White Am Ind Other
Gender	2,184 2,275 4,358 68 33	453,738 456,634 829,147 58,167 23,058
Race	0-4 5-9 10-13 14-17 <18	0-4 5-9 10-13 14-17 <18
Age	222 241 215 260 938	53,422 56,893 52,324 56,138 218,777
	18-24 25-44 45-64 65+ 18+	18-24 25-44 45-64 65+ 18+
	350 968 1,436 767 3,521	93,543 235,792 238,475 123,785 691,595
	Total Population: 4,459	Total Population: 910,372
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED) Bachelor Degree	HS Graduate (or GED) Bachelor Degree
	83% 17%	87% 24%
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs	Largest industries and percent of all jobs
	Farm (16.1%) State and local government (12.1%) Retail trade (10.1%)	Retail trade (12.4%) State and local government (12%) Health care/social assistance (10.5%)
(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)	Other services, except public admin.	None
Unemployment Rate ³	7.1%	4.7%
Median Household Income ¹	\$25,527	\$33,024
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$17,045	\$24,831
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ :	All ages <18 18+ 65+	All ages <18 18+ 65+
by Age Group	19.9% 33% 16% 11%	14.6% 19% 13% 9%
by Income as a Percent of FPL	50% 100% 150% 200%	50% 100% 150% 200%
	6% 19.9% 33% 47%	6% 14.6% 26% 37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid Medicare	Medicaid Medicare
	17.0% 19.7%	12.3% 15.4%
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64 65 and older	21 - 64 65 and older
	19% (473) 41% (311)	17% (85,337) 40% (45,284)
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	10.2 (n = 229)	12.2 (n = 54,508)
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	13.4 (n = 302)	9.1 (n = 40,837)
Median Age:	Male Fem White Am Ind All	Male Fem White Am Ind All
by Gender, Race ¹	43.2 43.1 43.5 30.5 43.2	36.6 38.5 38.8 24.4 37.5
at Death ⁵	76 80 78 74 78	75 81 79 62 78
(number of deaths)	(154) (148) (296) (4) (302)	(20,806) (20,028) (38,716) (1,958) (40,837)

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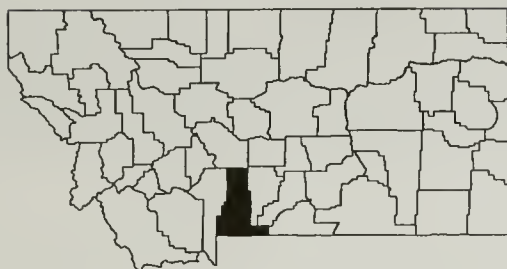
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Musselshell			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women			
	30.2 (n=26)	58.4 (n=229)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)			
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy			
	76.4%	74.7%		82.8%	73.2%			
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	9.2%			6.8%				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	13.1			6.8				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	527.4 (95% C.I. ±84.6)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CLRD			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE				
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	364 (n=82)			221.2 (n=9,913)				
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	259.2			203.4				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	17.8 (n=4)			24.5 (n=1,097)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	22.2 (n=5)			18.5 (n=830)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	97.7 (n=22)			55.6 (n=2,490)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	12.6% (n=64)			9.8% (n=10,833)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	15.1%			17.7%				
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	100% (n=17)			90% (n=2,439)				
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	31.1 (n=7)			207.0 (n=9,277)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Musselshell			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds
	1 local		0	11	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA		40	2,902
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	
	1	0	0		40	20	14	
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic				Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties			
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	Musselshell County Locations						
	2	Melstone, Musselshell						
	1	Roundup						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	1 (37 beds)				100 (7,374 beds)			
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC
	2 (16)		1	1	174 (3,597)		119	63
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA		Hospice		HHA		Hospice	
	0		0		76		31	
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	Central MT Health District (Fergus Co)				124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	2	0	0	1	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	2 dentists		0 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSA: All							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	Mental Health HPSA: Yes				Dental HPSA: All			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: All							

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⁷ 1998-2002, age-adjusted, Montana Tumor Registry, DPHHS



County Seat: Livingston

Park County Health Department

414 E Callender Street

Livingston, MT 59047

406-222-4140

Health Officer: Peggy Scanson, RN, NP

The EPA proposed the Burlington Northern Livingston Site to the National Priorities List in 1994. This site was never finalized on the NPL, as it is being cleaned up under state authorities.

DEMOGRAPHICS	Park					Montana				
Area	2,802 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	5.7/ sq. mi. (frontier)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	53.0%					54.1%				
Population ² :	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
Gender	7,848	8,025	15,398	167	308	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
Race	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
Age	882	909	859	904	3,554	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	1,187	4,153	4,647	2,332	12,319	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 15,873					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)			Bachelor Degree		HS Graduate (or GED)			Bachelor Degree	
	88%			23%		87%			24%	
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Accommodation/food services (14.9%)					Retail trade (12.4%)				
	Retail trade (12.8%)					State and local government (12%)				
	Construction (9.3%)					Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)	None					None				
Unemployment Rate ³	4.6%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$31,739					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$23,005					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	11.4%		14%	11%	10%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	5%	11.4%		23%	35%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	9.9%		16.1%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	18% (1,669)		40% (911)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	10.7 (n = 843)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	9.6 (n = 757)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age:	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
by Gender, Race ¹	40.0	41.2	40.9	30.5	40.6	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
at Death ⁵	77	81	79	57	79	75	81	79	62	78
(number of deaths)	(374)	(383)	(752)	(5)	(757)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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² 2002 Census Bureau estimate.

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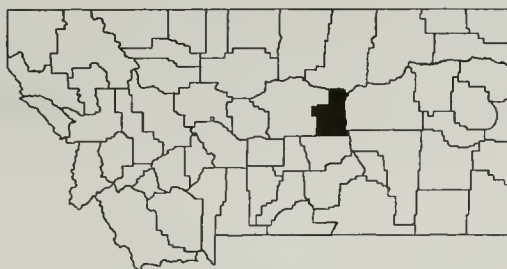
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Park			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women	Teen	All Women				
	34.2 (n=87)	54.6 (n=843)	36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)				
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy	1 st Trimester	Adequacy				
	84.3%	78.9%	82.8%	73.2%				
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	5.9%		6.8%					
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	3.6		6.8					
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	450.3 (95% C.I. ±43.7)		474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)					
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. CANCER 2. HEART DISEASE 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE		1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE					
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	207.3 (n=164)		221.2 (n=9,913)					
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	172.0		203.4					
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	22.7 (n=18)		24.5 (n=1,097)					
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	19 (n=15)		18.5 (n=830)					
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	43 (n=34)		55.6 (n=2,490)					
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	8.5% (n=188)		9.8% (n=10,833)					
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	17.2%		17.7%					
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	93% (n=38)		90% (n=2,439)					
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	82.1 (n=65)		207.0 (n=9,277)					
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Park			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals	CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals	CAH	# beds		
	0	1	20	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA	40	2,902		
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		
	1	1	0	40	20	14		
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic + Enhanced			Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties				
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	Park County Locations						
	3	Cooke City, Emigrant, Gardiner						
	2	Livingston						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	1 (115 beds)			100 (7,374 beds)				
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)	AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)	AFC	ADC		
	3 (94)	1	2	174 (3,597)	119	63		
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA	Hospice		HHA	Hospice			
	2	1		76	31			
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	2.3	1.5	< 0.1	0	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	17	2	4	5	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	9 dentists		3 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSA: None							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	Mental Health HPSA: Yes				Dental HPSA: Low income population			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: All							

⁶ 1998-2002, Office of Vital Statistics, DPHHS.

⁷ 1998-2002, age-adjusted, Montana Tumor Registry, DPHHS



County Seat: Winnett

Central Montana Health District

305 W Watson (Nurses); 712 W Main (Other)

Lewistown, MT 59457

406-538-7433; 406-538-8892

Health Officer: Jan Leishman-Donahue

The county is served by a multi-county health department centered in Fergus County.

DEMOGRAPHICS	Petroleum	Montana
Area	1,654 square miles	145,552 square miles
Population Density and Status	0.3/ sq. mi. (frontier)	6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)
Urban Population ¹	0.0%	54.1%
Population ² :	Male Female White Am Ind Other	Male Female White Am Ind Other
Gender	256 232 485 3 0	453,738 456,634 829,147 58,167 23,058
Race	0-4 5-9 10-13 14-17 <18	0-4 5-9 10-13 14-17 <18
Age	29 35 26 29 119	53,422 56,893 52,324 56,138 218,777
	18-24 25-44 45-64 65+ 18+	18-24 25-44 45-64 65+ 18+
	40 107 143 79 369	93,543 235,792 238,475 123,785 691,595
	Total Population: 488	Total Population: 910,372
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED) Bachelor Degree	HS Graduate (or GED) Bachelor Degree
	83% 17%	87% 24%
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs	Largest industries and percent of all jobs
	Farm (40.8%) Incomplete data (35.7%) State and local government (17%)	Retail trade (12.4%) State and local government (12%) Health care/social assistance (10.5%)
(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)	N/A	None
Unemployment Rate ³	4.8%	4.7%
Median Household Income ¹	\$24,107	\$33,024
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$15,682	\$24,831
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ :	All ages <18 18+ 65+	All ages <18 18+ 65+
by Age Group	23.2% 26% 22% 17%	14.6% 19% 13% 9%
by Income as a Percent of FPL	50% 100% 150% 200%	50% 100% 150% 200%
	10% 23.2% 38% 52%	6% 14.6% 26% 37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid Medicare	Medicaid Medicare
	6.4% 14.8%	12.3% 15.4%
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64 65 and older	21 - 64 65 and older
	14% (37) 46% (37)	17% (85,337) 40% (45,284)
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	8.5 (n = 21)	12.2 (n = 54,508)
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	6.5 (n = 16)	9.1 (n = 40,837)
Median Age:	Male Fem White Am Ind All	Male Fem White Am Ind All
by Gender, Race ¹	41.5 40.8 40.9 57.5 41.1	36.6 38.5 38.8 24.4 37.5
at Death ⁵	73.5 79.5 79 72 77	75 81 79 62 78
(number of deaths)	(8) (8) (15) (1) (16)	(20,806) (20,028) (38,716) (1,958) (40,837)

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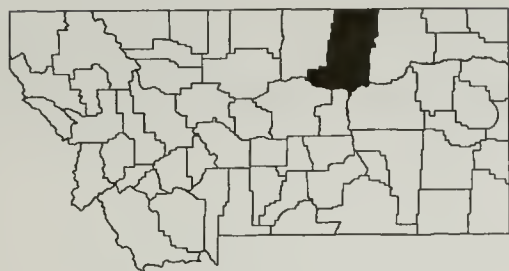
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Petroleum			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women			
	0 (n=0)	52 (n=21)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)			
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy			
	90.5%	66.7%		82.8%	73.2%			
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	9.5%			6.8%				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	0.0			6.8				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	537.9 (95% C.I. ±244.0)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CLRD			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE				
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	202.1 (n=5)			221.2 (n=9,913)				
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	147.1			203.4				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	80.8 (n=2)			24.5 (n=1,097)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	0 (n=0)			18.5 (n=830)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	40.4 (n=1)			55.6 (n=2,490)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	13.9% (n=10)			9.8% (n=10,833)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	3.2%			17.7%				
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	N/A			90% (n=2,439)				
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	0.0 (n=0)			207.0 (n=9,277)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Petroleum			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals	CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals	CAH	# beds		
	0	0	0	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA	40	2,902		
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		
	0	0	0	40	20	14		
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic			Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties				
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	Petroleum County Locations						
	1	Winnett						
	0	N/A						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	0 (0 beds)			100 (7,374 beds)				
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)	AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)	AFC	ADC		
	0 (0)	0	0	174 (3,597)	119	63		
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA	Hospice		HHA	Hospice			
	0	0		76	31			
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	Central MT Health District (Fergus Co)				124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	0	0	0	0	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	0 dentists		0 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSA: All							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	Mental Health HPSA: Yes				Dental HPSA: All			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: All							

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County Seat: Malta

Phillips County Health Department

105 S 2 E; PO Box 241

Malta, MT 59538

406-654-2521

Health Officer: Anne Johnson, DVM

Part of the Fort Belknap Reservation is located in Phillips County.

DEMOGRAPHICS	Phillips					Montana				
Area	5,140 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	0.8/ sq. mi. (frontier)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	0.0%					54.1%				
Population ² : Gender Race Age	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
	2,182	2,180	3,941	322	99	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
	197	284	296	295	1,072	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	349	940	1,185	816	3,290	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 4,362					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree		
	82%		17%			87%		24%		
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Farm (23%) Incomplete data (19.5%) State and local government (12.9%)					Retail trade (12.4%) State and local government (12%) Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
	Retail trade (11%)					None				
	(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)									
Unemployment Rate ³	4.6%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$28,702					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$20,496					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	18.3%		24%	16%	12%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	6%	18.3%		30%	41%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	14.4%		20.5%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	17% (402)		50% (371)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	8.9 (n = 204)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	13.1 (n = 299)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age: by Gender, Race ¹ at Death ⁵ (number of deaths)	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
	40.2	41.5	41.4	36.1	40.8	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
	75	84	79	77	79	75	81	79	62	78
	(154)	(145)	(278)	(21)	(299)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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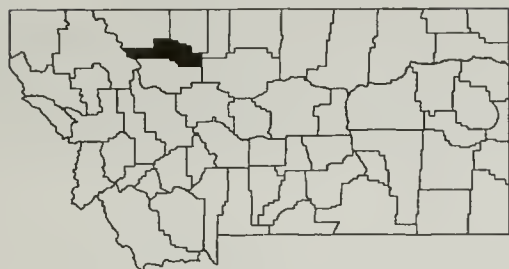
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Phillips			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women			
	22.8 (n=21)	51 (n=204)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)			
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy			
	72.5%	59.1%		82.8%	73.2%			
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	5.4%			6.8%				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	4.9			6.8				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	537.0 (95% C.I. ±85.5)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CLRD			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE				
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	371.9 (n=85)			221.2 (n=9,913)				
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	253.3			203.4				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	43.8 (n=10)			24.5 (n=1,097)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	17.5 (n=4)			18.5 (n=830)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	91.9 (n=21)			55.6 (n=2,490)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	15.2% (n=58)			9.8% (n=10,833)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	18.9%			17.7%				
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	91% (n=38)			90% (n=2,439)				
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	61.3 (n=14)			207.0 (n=9,277)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Phillips			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals	CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals	CAH	# beds		
	0	1	14	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA	40	2,902		
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		
	1	0	0	40	20	14		
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic			Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties				
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	Phillips County Locations						
	1	Malta						
	0	N/A						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	1 (46 beds)			100 (7,374 beds)				
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)	AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)	AFC	ADC		
	2 (20)	0	2	174 (3,597)	119	63		
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA	Hospice		HHA	Hospice			
	1	0		76	31			
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	1	0.19	0	0	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	1	0	1	3	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	2 dentists		0 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSEA: All							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSEA]	Mental Health HPSEA: Yes				Dental HPSEA: All			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: All							

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⁷ 1998-2002, age-adjusted, Montana Tumor Registry, DPHHS.



County Seat: Conrad

Pondera County Health Department

809 Sunset Blvd, Suite 7

Conrad, MT 59425

406-271-3247

Health Officer: Todd Gianarelli, MD

Part of the Blackfeet Reservation is in Pondera County.

DEMOGRAPHICS	Pondera					Montana				
Area	1,625 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	3.8/ sq. mi. (frontier)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	42.8%					54.1%				
Population ² : Gender Race Age	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
	3,081	3,175	5,262	927	67	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
	354	397	441	499	1,691	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	536	1,404	1,595	1,030	4,565	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 6,256					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)			Bachelor Degree		HS Graduate (or GED)			Bachelor Degree	
	82%			20%		87%			24%	
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Farm (16.7%) State and local government (13.9%) Retail trade (12.1%)					Retail trade (12.4%) State and local government (12%) Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
	Health care/social assistance					None				
	(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)									
Unemployment Rate ³	5.1%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$30,464					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$21,871					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	18.8%		23%	17%	8%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	8%	18.8%		30%	40%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	17.9%		18.8%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	22% (703)		38% (375)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	11.8 (n = 372)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	11.8 (n = 373)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age: by Gender, Race ¹ at Death ⁵ (number of deaths)	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
	37.7	39.5	40.6	23.6	38.6	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
	77.5	83	81	65	80	75	81	79	62	78
	(176)	(197)	(336)	(37)	(373)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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² 2002 Census Bureau estimate.

³ 2003 MT Dept. Labor & Industry.

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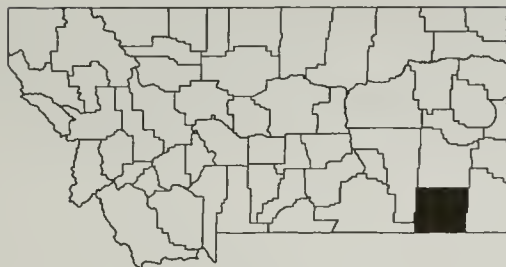
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Pondera			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women			
	35.5 (n=48)	64.4 (n=372)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)			
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy			
	76.8%	53.5%		82.8%	73.2%			
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	5.9%			6.8%				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	8.1			6.8				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	484.4 (95% C.I. ±70.5)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. CANCER 2. HEART DISEASE 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE				
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	174.1 (n=55)			221.2 (n=9,913)				
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	133.2			203.4				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	34.8 (n=11)			24.5 (n=1,097)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	15.8 (n=5)			18.5 (n=830)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	63.3 (n=20)			55.6 (n=2,490)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	13.2% (n=60)			9.8% (n=10,833)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	10.1%			17.7%				
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	94% (n=34)			90% (n=2,439)				
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	79.2 (n=25)			207.0 (n=9,277)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Pondera			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds
	0		1	20	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA		40	2,902
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	
	1	0	1		40	20	14	
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic + Enhanced				Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties			
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	Pondera County Locations						
	1	Conrad						
	0	N/A						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	1 (67 beds)				100 (7,374 beds)			
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC
	1 (12)		0	1	174 (3,597)		119	63
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA		Hospice		HHA		Hospice	
	3		1		76		31	
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	0.75	0.5	0	0	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	3	0	0	4	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	2 dentists		2 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSA: All							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	Mental Health HPSA: Yes				Dental HPSA: None			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: Dutton-Power CCD							

⁶ 1998-2002, Office of Vital Statistics, DPHHS.

⁷ 1998-2002, age-adjusted, Montana Tumor Registry, DPHHS.



County Seat: Broadus

Powder River Public Health

PO Box 210
Broadus, MT 59317
406-436-2297

Health Officer: LeRoy Biesheuvel, PA-C

DEMOGRAPHICS	Powder River					Montana				
Area	3,297 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	0.6/ sq. mi. (frontier)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	0.0%					54.1%				
Population ² : Gender Race Age	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
	896	935	1,791	36	4	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
	94	114	120	112	440	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	125	408	521	337	1,391	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 1,831					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree		
	83%		16%			87%		24%		
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Farm (33.1%) Incomplete data (24.9%) State and local government (16.8%)					Retail trade (12.4%) State and local government (12%) Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
	(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)					None				
Unemployment Rate ³	2.7%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$28,398					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$18,102					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	12.9%		13%	13%	16%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	3%	12.9%		28%	41%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	6.7%		15.9%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	19% (180)		28% (87)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	8.8 (n = 80)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	11.7 (n = 106)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age: by Gender, Race ¹ at Death ⁵ (number of deaths)	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
	41.6	42.5	42.3	26.5	42.1	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
	76	84	79	91	79.5	75	81	79	62	78
	(59)	(47)	(105)	(1)	(106)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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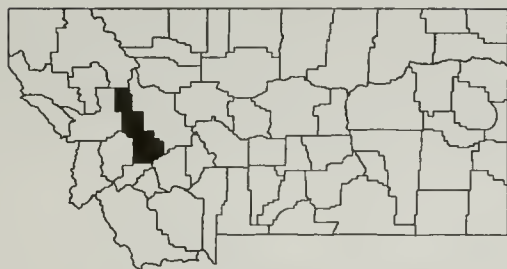
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Powder River			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women	Teen	All Women				
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	20.6 (n=7)	52.4 (n=80)	36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)				
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy	1 st Trimester	Adequacy				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	82.5%	76.3%	82.8%	73.2%				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	11.3%		6.8%					
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	0.0		6.8					
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	390.2 (95% C.I. ±114.7)		474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)					
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	1. CANCER 2. HEART DISEASE 3. ACCIDENT		1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE					
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	187.2 (n=17)		221.2 (n=9,913)					
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	129.2		203.4					
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	33 (n=3)		24.5 (n=1,097)					
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	22 (n=2)		18.5 (n=830)					
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	44 (n=4)		55.6 (n=2,490)					
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	8.4% (n=17)		9.8% (n=10,833)					
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	7.4%		17.7%					
	100% (n=10)		90% (n=2,439)					
	11.0 (n=1)		207.0 (n=9,277)					
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Powder River			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals	CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals	CAH	# beds		
	0	0	0	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA	40	2,902		
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		
	1	0	0	40	20	14		
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic			Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties				
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	Powder River County Locations						
	1	Broadus						
	0	N/A						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	1 (41 beds)			100 (7,374 beds)				
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)	AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)	AFC	ADC		
	0 (0)	0	1	174 (3,597)	119	63		
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA	Hospice		HHA	Hospice			
	1	0		76	31			
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	1	< 0.1	0	0	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	0	0	0	1	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	0 dentists		0 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSA: All							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	Mental Health HPSA: Yes				Dental HPSA: All			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: All							

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⁷ 1998-2002, age-adjusted, Montana Tumor Registry, DPHHS.



County Seat: Deer Lodge

Powell County Public Health

300 Milwaukee; PO Box 716

Deer Lodge, MT 59722

406-846-2420

Health Officer: Barry Oser, MD

The most heavily contaminated area of the Clark Fork River Superfund NPL Site is located in Powell County between Garrison and Warm Springs Pond. Montana State Prison is located in Deer Lodge.

DEMOGRAPHICS	Powell					Montana				
Area	2,326 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	3.0/ sq. mi. (frontier)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	70.3%					54.1%				
Population ² : Gender Race Age	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
	4,158	2,878	6,578	269	189	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
	288	347	329	410	1,374	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	645	2,064	1,925	1,028	5,662	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 7,036					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree		
	82%		13%			87%		24%		
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Incomplete data (32%)					Retail trade (12.4%)				
	State and local government (28.8%)					State and local government (12%)				
	Farm (10%)					Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)	N/A					None				
Unemployment Rate ³	5.8%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$30,625					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$19,211					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	12.6%		16%	11%	6%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	5%	12.6%		23%	36%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	11.0%		16.1%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	21% (663)		39% (370)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	8.7 (n = 305)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	9.1 (n = 322)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age:	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
by Gender, Race ¹	38.5	42.0	40.5	34.9	39.7	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
at Death ⁵	70	83	77	65	76.5	75	81	79	62	78
(number of deaths)	(189)	(133)	(319)	(3)	(322)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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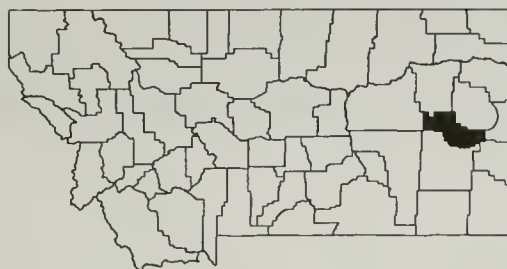
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Powell			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women			
	39.9 (n=40)	60.5 (n=305)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)			
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy			
	80.3%	68.7%		82.8%	73.2%			
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	7.5%			6.8%				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	9.8			6.8				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	577.5 (95% C.I. ±74.9)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. CANCER 2. HEART DISEASE 3. ACCIDENT			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE				
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	167.5 (n=59)			221.2 (n=9,913)				
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	144.1			203.4				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	25.6 (n=9)			24.5 (n=1,097)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	14.2 (n=5)			18.5 (n=830)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	59.6 (n=21)			55.6 (n=2,490)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	9.0% (n=90)			9.8% (n=10,833)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	16.9%			17.7%				
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	88% (n=7)			90% (n=2,439)				
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	56.8 (n=20)			207.0 (n=9,277)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Powell			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds
	0		1	19	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA		40	2,902
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	
	1	0	0		40	20	14	
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic				Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties			
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	Powell County Locations						
	2	Avon, Elliston						
	1	Deer Lodge						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	2 (76 beds)				100 (7,374 beds)			
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC
	1 (11)		0	0	174 (3,597)		119	63
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA		Hospice		HHA		Hospice	
	1		1		76		31	
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	0.75	0.5	0	0	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	4	0	0	3	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	4 dentists		1 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSA: All; MT State Prison (facility)							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	Mental Health HPSA: Yes				Dental HPSA: All; MT State Prison			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: None							

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⁷ 1998-2002, age-adjusted, Montana Tumor Registry, DPHHS



County Seat: Terry

Prairie County Public Health

PO Box 202
Terry, MT 59349
406-635-5364

Health Officer: Samuel Mintz, PA-C

DEMOGRAPHICS	Prairie					Montana				
Area	1,737 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	0.7/ sq. mi. (frontier)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	0.0%					54.1%				
Population ² :	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
Gender	603	583	1,173	6	7	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
Race	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
Age	48	54	43	60	205	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	76	225	399	281	981	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 1,186					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree		
	79%		15%			87%		24%		
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Farm (33.3%) State and local government (24.6%) Incomplete data (24%)					Retail trade (12.4%) State and local government (12%) Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)	N/A					None				
Unemployment Rate ³	3.6%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$25,451					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$22,030					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ :	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
by Age Group	17.2%		24%	16%	16%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
by Income as a Percent of FPL	50%	100%	150%	200%		50%	100%	150%	200%	
	8%	17.2%	28%	42%		6%	14.6%	26%	37%	
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	11.2%		25.4%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	15% (95)		28% (77)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	7.5 (n = 47)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	13.2 (n = 83)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age:	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
by Gender, Race ¹	48.4	49.3	49.1	39.0	48.9	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
at Death ⁵	80	82.5	81	n/a	81	75	81	79	62	78
(number of deaths)	(51)	(32)	(83)	(0)	(83)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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² 2002 Census Bureau estimate.

³ 2003 MT Dept. Labor & Industry.

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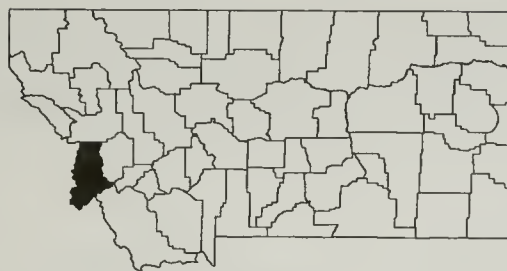
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Prairie			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women			
	19.4 (n=4)	52.1 (n=47)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)			
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy			
	83.0%	89.4%		82.8%	73.2%			
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	8.5%			6.8%				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	0.0			6.8				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	446.2 (95% C.I. ±138.9)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. CANCER 2. HEART DISEASE 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE				
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	301.6 (n=19)			221.2 (n=9,913)				
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	175.1			203.4				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	15.9 (n=1)			24.5 (n=1,097)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	0 (n=0)			18.5 (n=830)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	79.4 (n=5)			55.6 (n=2,490)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	6.1% (n=13)			9.8% (n=10,833)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	15.8%			17.7%				
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	100% (n=7)			90% (n=2,439)				
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	0.0 (n=0)			207.0 (n=9,277)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Prairie			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds
	0		1	2	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA		40	2,902
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	
	0	0	0		40	20	14	
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic + Enhanced				Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties			
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	Prairie County Locations						
	1	Terry						
	0	N/A						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	1 (19 beds)				100 (7,374 beds)			
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC
	0 (0)		1	0	174 (3,597)		119	63
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA		Hospice		HHA		Hospice	
	1		0		76		31	
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	1	0.1	0	0	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	1	0	0	2	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	0 dentists		0 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSA: All							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	Mental Health HPSA: Yes				Dental HPSA: All			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: All							

⁶ 1998-2002, Office of Vital Statistics, DPHHS

⁷ 1998-2002, age-adjusted, Montana Tumor Registry, DPHHS.



County Seat: Hamilton

Ravalli County Public Health Department

205 Bedford, Suite L
Hamilton, MT 59840
406-375-6259

Health Officer: Richard Eggleston, MD

DEMOGRAPHICS	Ravalli					Montana				
Area	2,394 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	15.8/ sq. mi. (rural)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	16.8%					54.1%				
Population ² : Gender Race Age	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
	18,752	18,978	36,677	358	695	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
	2,037	2,278	2,250	2,432	8,997	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	3,094	8,818	10,956	5,865	28,733	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 37,730					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree		
	87%		23%			87%		24%		
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Retail trade (12.7%) Construction (10.2%) Health care/social assistance (8%)					Retail trade (12.4%) State and local government (12%) Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
	(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)					None				
Unemployment Rate ³	5.5%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$31,992					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$22,194					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	13.8%		21%	11%	6%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	5%	13.8%		27%	39%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	10.7%		17.6%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	19% (3,731)		36% (1,910)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	11.0 (n = 1,994)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	9.0 (n = 1,634)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age: by Gender, Race ¹ at Death ⁵ (number of deaths)	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
	40.1	41.8	41.4	34.6	41.1	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
	77	82	79	60	79	75	81	79	62	78
	(830)	(804)	(1,620)	(11)	(1,634)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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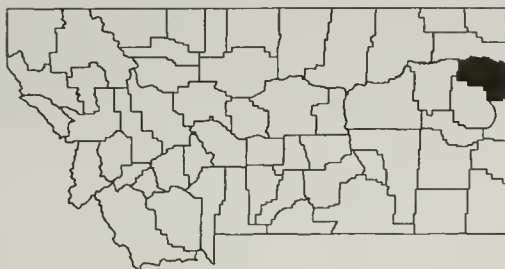
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS		Ravalli			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶		Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women			
		32.2 (n=210)	60.1 (n=1,994)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)			
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶		1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy			
		85.4%	76.0%		82.8%	73.2%			
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶		6.4%			6.8%				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶		5.5			6.8				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷		405.9 (95% C.I. ±27.1)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁶		1. CANCER 2. HEART DISEASE 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE				
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶		192.4 (n=350)			221.2 (n=9,913)				
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶		158.4			203.4				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶		20.9 (n=38)			24.5 (n=1,097)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶		13.7 (n=25)			18.5 (n=830)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶		53.3 (n=97)			55.6 (n=2,490)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol		8.6% (n=354)			9.8% (n=10,833)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)		17.7%			17.7%				
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)		81% (n=68)			90% (n=2,439)				
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)		66.0 (n=120)			207.0 (n=9,277)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002		Ravalli			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds		Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds
		1 local		0	48	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA		40	2,902
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)		RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	
		0	0	0		40	20	14	
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services		Basic				Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties			
Availability of Emergency Medical Services:		#	Ravalli County Locations						
Basic Life Support Services		7	Conner, Corvallis, Darby, Hamilton, Pinesdale, Stevensville						
Advanced Life Support Services		3	Florence, Hamilton, Stevensville						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)		4 (212 beds)				100 (7,374 beds)			
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses		ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC
		8 (146)		1	2	174 (3,597)		119	63
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses		HHA		Hospice		HHA		Hospice	
		2		1		76		31	
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]		PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
		2	5	0	0	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]		MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
		37	3	12	6	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists		20 dentists		20 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:		Federal HPSA: None							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]		Mental Health HPSA: Yes				Dental HPSA: None			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]		MUA/MUP: Hamilton, Sula-Edwards & Victor CCDs							

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County Seat: Sidney

Richland County Health Department

221 5th Street SW
Sidney, MT 59270
406-433-2207

Health Officer: Donald Cooper, MD

DEMOGRAPHICS	Richland					Montana				
Area	2,084 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	4.4/ sq. mi. (frontier)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	54.3%					54.1%				
Population ² :	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
Gender	4,604	4,659	9,025	167	71	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
Race	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
Age	508	570	609	667	2,354	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	712	2,195	2,526	1,476	6,909	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 9,263					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)			Bachelor Degree		HS Graduate (or GED)			Bachelor Degree	
	84%			17%		87%			24%	
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Incomplete data (12.9%)					Retail trade (12.4%)				
	Farm (12.2%)					State and local government (12%)				
	Retail trade (12.1%)					Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)	State and local government (11%)					None				
Unemployment Rate ³	4.6%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$32,110					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$23,590					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	12.2%		14%	11%	9%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	5%	12.2%		22%	36%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	13.0%		18.1%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	16% (842)		37% (526)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	10.3 (n = 498)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	10.6 (n = 513)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age:	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
by Gender, Race ¹	38.1	40.3	39.6	19.4	39.2	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
at Death ⁵	75	82	79	60.5	79	75	81	79	62	78
(number of deaths)	(274)	(239)	(510)	(2)	(513)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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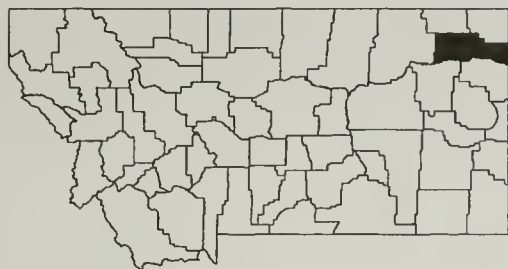
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Richland			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women			
	27.7 (n=55)	54.4 (n=498)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)			
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy			
	86.5%	77.0%		82.8%	73.2%			
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	5.4%			6.8%				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	2.0			6.8				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	378.1 (95% C.I. ±51.9)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE				
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	381.1 (n=185)			221.2 (n=9,913)				
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	312.2			203.4				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	35 (n=17)			24.5 (n=1,097)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	8.2 (n=4)			18.5 (n=830)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	33 (n=16)			55.6 (n=2,490)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	8.0% (n=99)			9.8% (n=10,833)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	16.6%			17.7%				
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	95% (n=86)			90% (n=2,439)				
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	103.0 (n=50)			207.0 (n=9,277)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Richland			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals	CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals	CAH	# beds		
	1 local	0	42	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA	40	2,902		
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		
	1	0	0	40	20	14		
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic			Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties				
Availability of Emergency Medical Services:	#	Richland County Locations						
Basic Life Support Services	1	Sidney						
Advanced Life Support Services	0	N/A						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	1 (93 beds)			100 (7,374 beds)				
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)	AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)	AFC	ADC		
	2 (48)	0	1	174 (3,597)	119	63		
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA	Hospice		HHA	Hospice			
	1	1		76	31			
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	2.9	1	< 0.1	4.75	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	6	0	3	2	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	4 dentists		5 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSA: None							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	Mental Health HPSA: Yes				Dental HPSA: None			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: None							

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County Seat: Wolf Point

Roosevelt County Health Department

400 2nd Ave S
Wolf Point, MT 59201
406-653-6223

Health Officer: Mark Zilkoski, MD

The Fort Peck Reservation is located principally in Roosevelt County.

DEMOGRAPHICS	Roosevelt					Montana				
Area	2,356 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	4.4/ sq. mi. (frontier)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	58.9%					54.1%				
Population ² : Gender Race Age	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
	5,172	5,256	4,123	6,029	276	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
	905	878	824	882	3,489	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	992	2,420	2,336	1,191	6,939	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 10,428					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree		
	81%		16%			87%		24%		
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	State and local government (30.3%) Farm (13.5%) Retail trade (10.8%)					Retail trade (12.4%) State and local government (12%) Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
	(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)					None				
Unemployment Rate ³	7.8%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$24,834					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$19,113					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	32.4%		42%	27%	15%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	14%	32.4%		45%	57%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	38.5%		13.6%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	19% (972)		41% (462)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	19.1 (n = 1,022)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	9.9 (n = 532)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age: by Gender, Race ¹ at Death ⁵ (number of deaths)	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
	30.8	33.6	44.6	21.8	32.3	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
	72	78	81	59	74.5	75	81	79	62	78
	(287)	(245)	(305)	(226)	(532)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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² 2002 Census Bureau estimate.

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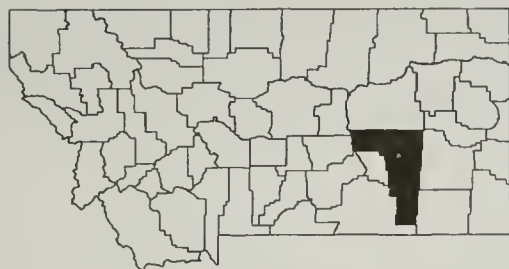
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Roosevelt			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women			
	83.9 (n=211)	94.3 (n=1,022)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)			
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy			
	71.8%	45.7%		82.8%	73.2%			
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	6.0%			6.8%				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	8.8			6.8				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	446.6 (95% C.I. ±60.1)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. ACCIDENT			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE				
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	244.7 (n=131)			221.2 (n=9,913)				
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	261.0			203.4				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	29.9 (n=16)			24.5 (n=1,097)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	7.5 (n=4)			18.5 (n=830)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	74.7 (n=40)			55.6 (n=2,490)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	19.2% (n=130)			9.8% (n=10,833)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	8.6%			17.7%				
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	95% (n=107)			90% (n=2,439)				
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	681.8 (n=365)			207.0 (n=9,277)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Roosevelt			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds
	1 local		2	50	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA		40	2,902
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	
	3	0	2		40	20	14	
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic + Enhanced				Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties			
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	Roosevelt County Locations						
	2	Culbertson, Wolt Point						
	0	N/A						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	2 (102 beds)				100 (7,374 beds)			
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC
	1 (9)		0	2	174 (3,597)		119	63
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA		Hospice		HHA		Hospice	
	2		0		76		31	
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	1.2	0.5	0	0	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	9	1	3	3	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	1 dentists		0 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSA: East Roosevelt & Ft Peck Reservation CCDs							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	Mental Health HPSA: Yes				Dental HPSA: All			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: All							

⁶ 1998-2002, Office of Vital Statistics, DPHHS

⁷ 1998-2002, age-adjusted, Montana Tumor Registry, DPHHS



County Seat: Forsyth

Rosebud County Public Health Department

121 North 11th Ave; PO Box 388

Forsyth, MT 59327

406-346-2156

Health Officer: William Anderson, MD

Rosebud County is the primary location of the Northern Cheyenne Reservation.

DEMOGRAPHICS	Rosebud					Montana				
Area	5,012 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	1.8/ sq. mi. (frontier)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	0.0%					54.1%				
Population ² : Gender Race Age	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
	4,622	4,646	5,818	3,215	235	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
	698	744	683	800	2,925	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	809	2,158	2,494	882	6,343	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 9,268					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)			Bachelor Degree		HS Graduate (or GED)			Bachelor Degree	
	84%			18%		87%			24%	
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	State and local government (28.1%) Incomplete data (13.2%) Utilities (~11%)					Retail trade (12.4%) State and local government (12%) Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
	Farm (10%)					None				
	(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)									
Unemployment Rate ³	6.3%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$35,898					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$23,226					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	22.4%		32%	18%	15%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	9%	22.4%		34%	43%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	22.5%		11.8%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	18% (907)		43% (332)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	16.3 (n = 778)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	7.6 (n = 364)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age:	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
by Gender, Race ¹	34.7	34.4	41.0	20.2	34.5	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
at Death ⁵	70	78	77	60	74	75	81	79	62	78
(number of deaths)	(187)	(177)	(258)	(104)	(364)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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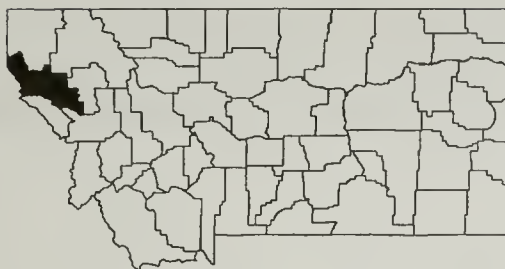
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Rosebud			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women			
	52.5 (n=122)	79.5 (n=778)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)			
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy			
	71.0%	51.9%		82.8%	73.2%			
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	7.6%			6.8%				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	10.3			6.8				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	497.2 (95% C.I. ±71.9)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. ACCIDENT			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE				
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	194.6 (n=93)			221.2 (n=9,913)				
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	275.1			203.4				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	33.5 (n=16)			24.5 (n=1,097)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	12.6 (n=6)			18.5 (n=830)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	50.2 (n=24)			55.6 (n=2,490)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	12.4% (n=85)			9.8% (n=10,833)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	7.8%			17.7%				
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	99% (n=80)			90% (n=2,439)				
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	648.6 (n=310)			207.0 (n=9,277)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Rosebud			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds
	0		1	9	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA		40	2,902
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	
	0	1	1		40	20	14	
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic				Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties			
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	Rosebud County Locations						
	3	Colstrip, Forsyth						
	3	Colstrip, Forsyth, Lame Deer						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	1 (55 beds)				100 (7,374 beds)			
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC
	1 (40)		0	0	174 (3,597)		119	63
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA		Hospice		HHA		Hospice	
	0		0		76		31	
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	1.5	0.5	0	0	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	9	0	1	2	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	3 dentists		4 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSA: All							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	Mental Health HPSA: Yes				Dental HPSA: None			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: All							

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County Seat: Thompson Falls

Sanders County Health Department

PO Box 519
Thompson Falls, MT 59873
406-827-6931

Health Officer: Cindy Morgan, RN, MSN

DEMOGRAPHICS	Sanders					Montana				
Area	2,762 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	3.8/ sq. mi. (frontier)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	0.0%					54.1%				
Population ² : Gender Race Age	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
	5,241	5,191	9,648	509	275	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
	509	522	549	731	2,311	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	783	2,125	3,367	1,846	8,121	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 10,432					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree		
	81%		16%			87%		24%		
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Incomplete data (17.4%)					Retail trade (12.4%)				
	State and local government (10.5%)					State and local government (12%)				
	Farm (9.9%)					Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)	None					None				
Unemployment Rate ³	8.2%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$26,852					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$18,679					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	17.2%		25%	15%	9%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	7%	17.2%		34%	46%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	15.3%		20.9%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	24% (1,398)		46% (771)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	10.0 (n = 515)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	10.4 (n = 535)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age: by Gender, Race ¹ at Death ⁵ (number of deaths)	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
	44.3	44.1	45.0	36.5	44.2	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
	74	81	78	71	77	75	81	79	62	78
	(311)	(224)	(508)	(27)	(535)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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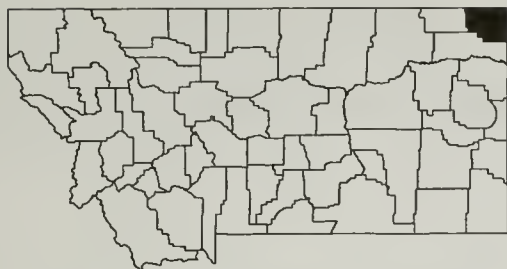
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Sanders			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women			
	34.8 (n=72)	58.3 (n=515)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)			
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy			
	73.2%	65.0%		82.8%	73.2%			
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	6.2%			6.8%				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	11.7			6.8				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	503.2 (95% C.I. ±53.8)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE				
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	271.5 (n=140)			221.2 (n=9,913)				
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	214.5			203.4				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	40.7 (n=21)			24.5 (n=1,097)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	25.2 (n=13)			18.5 (n=830)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	73.7 (n=38)			55.6 (n=2,490)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	12.8% (n=135)			9.8% (n=10,833)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	13.8%			17.7%				
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	87% (n=45)			90% (n=2,439)				
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	145.5 (n=75)			207.0 (n=9,277)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Sanders			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds
	0		1	16	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA		40	2,902
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	
	4	0	0		40	20	14	
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic				Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties			
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	Sanders County Locations						
	7	Dixon, Hot Springs, Noxon, Plains, Thompson Falls						
	0	N/A						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	2 (92 beds)				100 (7,374 beds)			
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC
	3 (26)		0	0	174 (3,597)		119	63
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA		Hospice		HHA		Hospice	
	2		1		76		31	
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	0.7	1	0	0	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	8	0	1	4	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	2 dentists		3 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSA: All							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	Mental Health HPSA: Yes				Dental HPSA: All			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: All							

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⁷ 1998-2002, age-adjusted, Montana Tumor Registry, DPHHS



County Seat: Plentywood

Sheridan County Health Department

100 W Laurel Ave
Plentywood, MT 59254
406-765-3410

Health Officer: Kirk Stoner, MD

DEMOGRAPHICS	Sheridan					Montana				
Area	1,677 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	2.3/ sq. mi. (frontier)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	0.0%					54.1%				
Population ² : Gender Race Age	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
	1,881	1,922	3,716	49	38	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
	124	195	186	243	748	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	262	693	1,158	942	3,055	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 3,803					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree		
	81%		18%			87%		24%		
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Farm (26.7%) Incomplete data (19.7%) State and local government (12.1%)					Retail trade (12.4%) State and local government (12%) Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
	Retail trade (10%)					None				
	(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)									
Unemployment Rate ³	3.5%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$29,518					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$24,882					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	14.7%		17%	14%	16%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	5%	14.7%		26%	41%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	8.6%		26.6%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	13% (281)		33% (322)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	6.8 (n = 138)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	16.2 (n = 326)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age:	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
by Gender, Race ¹	44.2	46.4	45.4	33.5	45.1	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
at Death ⁵	80	84	82	67.5	81	75	81	79	62	78
(number of deaths)	(174)	(152)	(322)	(4)	(326)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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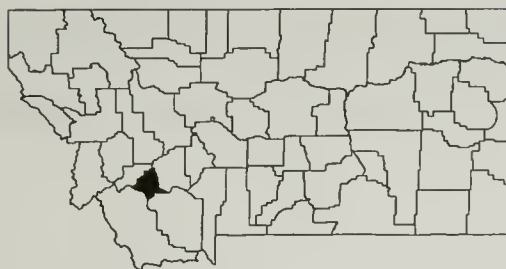
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Sheridan			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women			
	18.3 (n=14)	44 (n=138)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)			
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy			
	88.4%	73.9%		82.8%	73.2%			
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	5.8%			6.8%				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	0.0			6.8				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	350.7 (95% C.I. ±65.2)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE				
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	436.2 (n=88)			221.2 (n=9,913)				
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	225.4			203.4				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	14.9 (n=3)			24.5 (n=1,097)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	34.7 (n=7)			18.5 (n=830)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	89.2 (n=18)			55.6 (n=2,490)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	15.9% (n=60)			9.8% (n=10,833)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	14.6%			17.7%				
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	100% (n=31)			90% (n=2,439)				
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	9.9 (n=2)			207.0 (n=9,277)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Sheridan			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds
	0		1	19	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA		40	2,902
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	
	0	0	0		40	20	14	
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic + Enhanced				Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties			
Availability of Emergency Medical Services:	#	Sheridan County Locations						
Basic Life Support Services	2	Plentywood						
Advanced Life Support Services	0	N/A						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	1 (78 beds)				100 (7,374 beds)			
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC
	1 (21)		0	0	174 (3,597)		119	63
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA		Hospice		HHA		Hospice	
	2		1		76		31	
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	1	0.25	0	0	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	1	0	0	2	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	1 dentists		2 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSA: All							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	Mental Health HPSA: Yes				Dental HPSA: All			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: All							

⁶ 1998-2002, Office of Vital Statistics, DPHHS

⁷ 1998-2002, age-adjusted, Montana Tumor Registry, DPHHS



County Seat: Butte

Butte-Silver Bow City-County Health Department

25 West Front Street

Butte, MT 59701

406-497-5020

Health Officer: Dan Dennehy

The Silver Bow Creek/Butte Area National Priorities List Superfund Site includes the Berkeley Pit, located in Butte. The Montana Pole and Treating NPL Site is also in Butte.

DEMOGRAPHICS	Silver Bow					Montana				
Area	718 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	46.6/ sq. mi. (rural)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	88.5%					54.1%				
Population ² :	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
Gender	16,559	16,888	32,090	721	636	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
Race	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
Age	1,821	2,048	1,838	1,844	7,551	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	3,285	8,425	8,734	5,452	25,896	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 33,447					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)			Bachelor Degree		HS Graduate (or GED)			Bachelor Degree	
	85%			22%		87%			24%	
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Health care/social assistance (15.1%)					Retail trade (12.4%)				
	Retail trade (14.9%)					State and local government (12%)				
	State and local government (11.7%)					Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)	Accommodation & food services					None				
Unemployment Rate ³	5.1%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$30,402					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$25,624					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	14.9%		20%	14%	9%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	6%	14.9%		27%	37%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	17.2%		18.9%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	18% (3,455)		41% (2,101)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	11.3 (n = 1,920)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	12.8 (n = 2,175)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age:	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
by Gender, Race ¹	37.5	40.3	39.5	27.4	38.9	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
at Death ⁵	76	82	79	62	79	75	81	79	62	78
(number of deaths)	(1,057)	(1,118)	(2,149)	(21)	(2,175)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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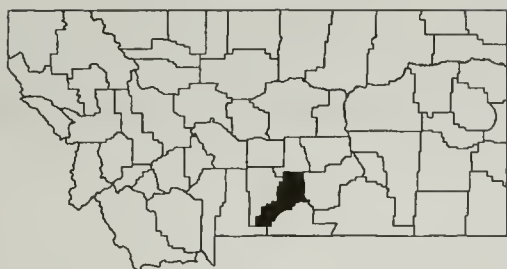
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Silver Bow			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women			
	36.2 (n=222)	58.5 (n=1,920)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)			
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy			
	85.2%	71.8%		82.8%	73.2%			
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	8.4%			6.8%				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	3.6			6.8				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	499.0 (95% C.I. ±30.7)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE				
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	323.7 (n=551)			221.2 (n=9,913)				
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	247.9			203.4				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	15.3 (n=26)			24.5 (n=1,097)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	21.7 (n=37)			18.5 (n=830)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	59.9 (n=102)			55.6 (n=2,490)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	7.4% (n=309)			9.8% (n=10,833)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	18.8%			17.7%				
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	90% (n=75)			90% (n=2,439)				
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	129.8 (n=221)			207.0 (n=9,277)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Silver Bow			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds
	1 local		0	88	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA		40	2,902
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	
	0	2	0		40	20	14	
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic + Enhanced				Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties			
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	Silver Bow County Locations						
	2	Butte						
	1	Butte						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	4 (401 beds)				100 (7,374 beds)			
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC
	7 (185)		5	1	174 (3,597)		119	63
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA		Hospice		HHA		Hospice	
	3		1		76		31	
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	2	4	0	2	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	31	3	9	8	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	18 dentists		11 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSA: Low income population							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	Mental Health HPSA: Yes				Dental HPSA: Low income population			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: All							

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County Seat: Columbus

Stillwater County Environmental Health Department

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Columbus, MT 59019

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Health Officers: David Kane, MD / Richard Klee, MD

The Mouat Industries Superfund NPL site was listed in 1986. All construction activities are completed at the site and monitoring will continue over the long term.

DEMOGRAPHICS	Stillwater					Montana				
Area	1,795 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	4.7/ sq. mi. (frontier)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	0.0%					54.1%				
Population ² : Gender Race Age	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
	4,297	4,154	8,277	55	119	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
	430	531	488	522	1,971	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	682	2,099	2,495	1,204	6,480	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 8,451					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree		
	88%		18%			87%		24%		
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Incomplete data (44.6%)					Retail trade (12.4%)				
	Mining (~25%)					State and local government (12%)				
	Farm (11.1%)					Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)	N/A					None				
Unemployment Rate ³	3.0%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$39,205					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$26,877					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	9.8%		13%	9%	9%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	3%	9.8%		18%	26%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	7.5%		15.4%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	18% (837)		38% (426)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	9.9 (n = 409)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	8.9 (n = 371)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age: by Gender, Race ¹ at Death ⁵ (number of deaths)	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
	40.5	41.0	41.2	37.8	40.8	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
	76.5	82	80	56	80	75	81	79	62	78
	(182)	(189)	(368)	(3)	(371)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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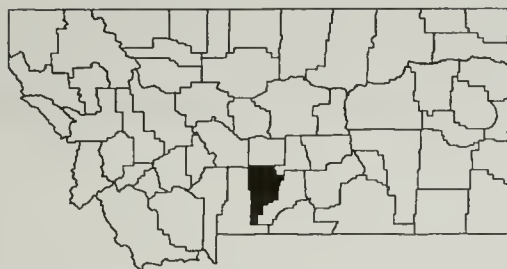
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Stillwater			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women			
	26.6 (n=40)	53.1 (n=409)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)			
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy			
	87.0%	73.5%		82.8%	73.2%			
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	5.1%			6.8%				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	2.4			6.8				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	590.8 (95% C.I. ±70.0)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE				
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	255.7 (n=106)			221.2 (n=9,913)				
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	217.1			203.4				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	24.1 (n=10)			24.5 (n=1,097)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	14.5 (n=6)			18.5 (n=830)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	48.2 (n=20)			55.6 (n=2,490)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	11.8% (n=148)			9.8% (n=10,833)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	17.6%			17.7%				
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	100% (n=20)			90% (n=2,439)				
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	36.2 (n=15)			207.0 (n=9,277)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Stillwater			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds
	0		1	13	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA		40	2,902
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	
	0	0	0		40	20	14	
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic				Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties			
Availability of Emergency Medical Services:	#	Stillwater County Locations						
Basic Life Support Services	3	Columbus, Molt, Park City						
Advanced Life Support Services	4	Absarokee, Columbus, Nye						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	2 (92 beds)				100 (7,374 beds)			
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC
	1 (23)		0	1	174 (3,597)		119	63
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA		Hospice		HHA		Hospice	
	1		0		76		31	
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	0.5	1	0	0	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	2	1	1	2	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	2 dentists		3 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSA: None							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	Mental Health HPSA: Yes				Dental HPSA: All			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: None							

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⁷ 1998-2002, age-adjusted, Montana Tumor Registry, DPHHS.



County Seat: Big Timber

Sweet Grass County Health Department

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Big Timber, MT 59011
406-932-5449

Health Officer: Paul Jacquay, PA-C

DEMOGRAPHICS	Sweet Grass					Montana				
Area	1,855 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	1.9/ sq. mi. (frontier)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	0.0%					54.1%				
Population ² : Gender Race Age	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
	1,805	1,802	3,543	18	46	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
	202	241	211	236	890	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	230	838	1,044	605	2,717	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 3,607					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree		
	89%		24%			87%		24%		
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Farm (20.5%) State and local government (14.4%) Retail trade (11.5%)					Retail trade (12.4%) State and local government (12%) Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
	(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)					Construction None				
Unemployment Rate ³	2.6%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$32,422					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$22,716					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	11.4%		15%	10%	9%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	3%	11.4%		21%	35%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	7.9%		16.8%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	12% (235)		42% (245)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	10.7 (n = 190)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	11.6 (n = 207)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age: by Gender, Race ¹ at Death ⁵ (number of deaths)	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
	40.4	42.2	41.7	15.0	41.2	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
	81	86	84	31	84	75	81	79	62	78
	(102)	(104)	(205)	(1)	(207)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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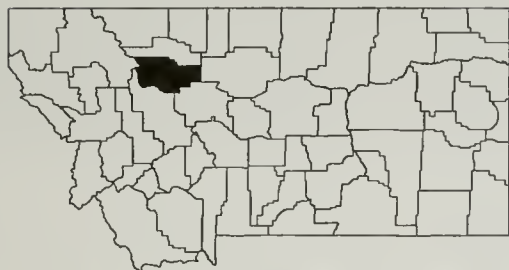
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Sweet Grass			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women	Teen	All Women				
	21.6 (n=15)	60.5 (n=190)	36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)				
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy	1 st Trimester	Adequacy				
	83.7%	69.5%	82.8%	73.2%				
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	8.4%		6.8%					
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	5.3		6.8					
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	434.7 (95% C.I. ±85.1)		474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)					
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE		1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE					
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	297.4 (n=53)		221.2 (n=9,913)					
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	180.6		203.4					
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	33.7 (n=6)		24.5 (n=1,097)					
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	16.8 (n=3)		18.5 (n=830)					
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	61.7 (n=11)		55.6 (n=2,490)					
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	7.1% (n=45)		9.8% (n=10,833)					
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	10.5%		17.7%					
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	93% (n=14)		90% (n=2,439)					
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	11.2 (n=2)		207.0 (n=9,277)					
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Sweet Grass			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals	CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals	CAH	# beds		
	0	1	8	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA	40	2,902		
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		
	1	0	0	40	20	14		
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic			Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties				
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	Sweet Grass County Locations						
	0	N/A						
	1	Big Timber						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	1 (52 beds)			100 (7,374 beds)				
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)	AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)	AFC	ADC		
	1 (18)	0	1	174 (3,597)	119	63		
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA	Hospice		HHA	Hospice			
	1	1		76	31			
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	0.75	0.4	0	0	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	2	0	2	2	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	1 dentists		0 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSA: All							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	Mental Health HPSA: Yes				Dental HPSA: None			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: None							

⁶ 1998-2002, Office of Vital Statistics, DPHHS.

⁷ 1998-2002, age-adjusted, Montana Tumor Registry, DPHHS.



County Seat: Choteau

Teton County Health Department

905 4th Street NW
Choteau, MT 59422
406-466-2562

Health Officer: Laura Shelton, MD

DEMOGRAPHICS	Teton					Montana				
Area	2,273 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	2.8/ sq. mi. (frontier)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	0.0%					54.1%				
Population ² : Gender Race Age	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
	3,117	3,208	6,127	109	89	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
	338	430	383	451	1,602	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	495	1,425	1,711	1,092	4,723	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 6,325					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree		
	83%		21%			87%		24%		
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Farm (22%) Incomplete data (14.1%) State and local government (12.6%)					Retail trade (12.4%) State and local government (12%) Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
	(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)					None				
Unemployment Rate ³	3.4%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$30,197					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$22,257					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	16.6%		26%	13%	8%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	6%	16.6%		29%	42%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	8.8%		18.5%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	17% (571)		37% (386)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	10.6 (n = 338)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	11.3 (n = 362)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age: by Gender, Race ¹ at Death ⁵ (number of deaths)	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
	39.5	40.5	40.2	39.5	40.0	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
	79	82	81	74.5	81	75	81	79	62	78
	(193)	(169)	(354)	(6)	(362)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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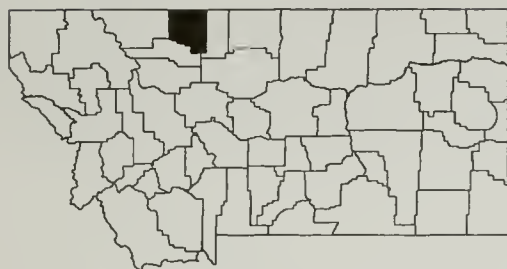
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Teton			Montana		
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women	
	14.6 (n=19)	60.8 (n=338)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)	
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy	
	82.0%	49.4%		82.8%	73.2%	
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	4.4%			6.8%		
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	8.9			6.8		
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	501.9 (95% C.I. ±69.6)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)		
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. CANCER 2. HEART DISEASE 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE		
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	247.2 (n=79)			221.2 (n=9,913)		
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	172.5			203.4		
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	37.6 (n=12)			24.5 (n=1,097)		
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	18.8 (n=6)			18.5 (n=830)		
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	75.1 (n=24)			55.6 (n=2,490)		
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	9.0% (n=62)			9.8% (n=10,833)		
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	16.6%			17.7%		
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	81% (n=35)			90% (n=2,439)		
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	28.2 (n=9)			207.0 (n=9,277)		
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Teton			Montana		
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals		CAH # beds	Local Hospitals		CAH # beds
	0		1 10	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA		40 2,902
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal
	1	0	0	40	20	14
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic + Enhanced			Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties		
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	Teton County Locations				
	3	Choteau, Dutton				
	1	Choteau				
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	2 (77 beds)			100 (7,374 beds)		
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)		AFC ADC	ALF (# beds)		AFC ADC
	1 (12)		0 2	174 (3,597)		119 63
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA		Hospice	HHA		Hospice
	1		0	76		31
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD HlthEd
	1.75	0.5	0 0	124.4	84.5	14.0 41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP PA-C
	1	0	3 2	881	34	314 264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	4 dentists		3 hygienists	505 dentists		437 hygienists
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSA: Choteau, Fairfield, & Dutton-Power CCDs					
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	Mental Health HPSA: Yes			Dental HPSA: All		
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: Augusta & Dutton-Power CCDs					

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County Seat: Shelby

Toole County Health Department

226 1st Street South

Shelby, MT 59474

406-424-5169

Health Officer: Val Becker, DVM

The Port of Sweetgrass is the major port entry on the Alaska-Canada highway, and the busiest port between Blaine, WA and Pembina, ND.

DEMOGRAPHICS	Toole					Montana				
Area	1,911 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	2.8/ sq. mi. (frontier)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	57.4%					54.1%				
Population ² : Gender Race Age	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
	2,856	2,568	5,041	243	140	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
	296	324	300	342	1,262	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	474	1,488	1,393	807	4,162	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 5,424					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree		
	81%		17%			87%		24%		
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Incomplete data (23%)					Retail trade (12.4%)				
	State and local government (15.7%)					State and local government (12%)				
	Farm (13.6%)					Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)	N/A					None				
Unemployment Rate ³	2.7%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$30,169					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$21,835					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	12.9%		16%	12%	10%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	5%	12.9%		27%	37%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	9.3%		9.6%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	19% (496)		42% (310)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	10.0 (n = 255)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	10.8 (n = 275)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age:	Male	Fern	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fern	White	Am Ind	All
	38.5	39.7	39.7	30.4	39.1	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
	77	81	80	n/a	80	75	81	79	62	78
	(140)	(135)	(275)	(0)	(275)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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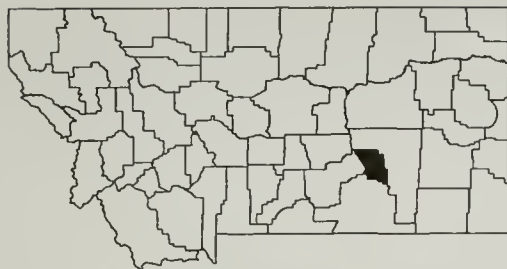
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Toole			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women			
	35.4 (n=35)	53.7 (n=255)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)			
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy			
	85.1%	66.5%		82.8%	73.2%			
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	6.3%			6.8%				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	0.0			6.8				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	446.9 (95% C.I. ±75.8)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. CANCER 2. HEART DISEASE 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE				
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	247.6 (n=63)			221.2 (n=9,913)				
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	220.7			203.4				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	43.2 (n=11)			24.5 (n=1,097)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	15.7 (n=4)			18.5 (n=830)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	70.7 (n=18)			55.6 (n=2,490)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	9.2% (n=50)			9.8% (n=10,833)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	20.1%			17.7%				
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	71% (n=29)			90% (n=2,439)				
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	47.2 (n=12)			207.0 (n=9,277)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Toole			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds
	0		1	20	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA		40	2,902
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	
	0	0	0		40	20	14	
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic				Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties			
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	Toole County Locations						
	1	Shelby						
	0	N/A						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	1 (68 beds)				100 (7,374 beds)			
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC
	1 (40)		0	0	174 (3,597)		119	63
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA		Hospice		HHA		Hospice	
	1		0		76		31	
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	1	1	0	0	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	3	0	0	1	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	2 dentists		0 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSA: Sunburst CCD							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	Mental Health HPSA: Yes				Dental HPSA: None			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: All (Governor appointed)							

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⁷ 1998-2002, age-adjusted, Montana Tumor Registry, DPHHS



County Seat: Hysham

Treasure County Health Department

405 Pioneer Ave; PO Box 201
Hysham, MT 59038
406-342-5886

Health Officer: J.R. Grierson, MD

DEMOGRAPHICS	Treasure					Montana				
Area	979 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	0.8/ sq. mi. (frontier)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	0.0%					54.1%				
Population ² : Gender Race Age	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
	398	379	756	15	6	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
	26	52	50	64	192	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	55	159	233	138	585	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 777					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree		
	86%		18%			87%		24%		
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Farm (39.5%) Incomplete data (19.8%) State and local government (16.5%)					Retail trade (12.4%) State and local government (12%) Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
	(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)					None				
Unemployment Rate ³	3.5%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$29,830					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$20,525					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	14.7%		24%	12%	11%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	6%	14.7%		31%	46%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	5.7%		22.4%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	15% (69)		39% (56)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	6.2 (n = 26)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	8.6 (n = 36)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age:	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
by Gender, Race ¹	40.3	43.3	42.5	13.0	41.8	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
at Death ⁵	70	72	70	n/a	70	75	81	79	62	78
(number of deaths)	(19)	(17)	(36)	(0)	(36)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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² 2002 Census Bureau estimate.

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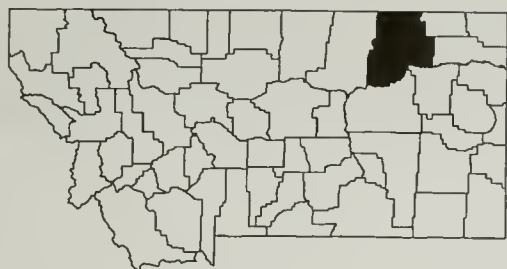
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Treasure			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen		All Women	Teen		All Women		
	26.9 (n=5)		36.4 (n=26)	36.2 (n=6,357)		59.5 (n=54,508)		
	1 st Trimester		Adequacy	1 st Trimester		Adequacy		
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	73.1%		61.5%	82.8%		73.2%		
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	0.0%			6.8%				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	0.0			6.8				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	630.3 (95% C.I. ±208.4)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. CANCER 2. HEART DISEASE 3. ACCIDENT			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE				
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	143.3 (n=6)			221.2 (n=9,913)				
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	107.5			203.4				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	23.9 (n=1)			24.5 (n=1,097)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	23.9 (n=1)			18.5 (n=830)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	47.8 (n=2)			55.6 (n=2,490)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	5.3% (n=11)			9.8% (n=10,833)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	11.4%			17.7%				
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	100% (n=1)			90% (n=2,439)				
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	23.9 (n=1)			207.0 (n=9,277)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Treasure			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds
	0		0	0	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA		40	2,902
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	
	0	0	0		40	20	14	
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic				Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties			
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	Treasure County Locations						
	1	Hysham						
	0	N/A						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	0 (0 beds)				100 (7,374 beds)			
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC
	0 (0)		0	0	174 (3,597)		119	63
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA		Hospice		HHA		Hospice	
	0		0		76		31	
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	0.5	0.25	0	0	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	0	0	0	0	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	0 dentists		1 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSPA: All							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSPA]	Mental Health HPSPA: Yes				Dental HPSPA: All			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: All							

⁶ 1998-2002, Office of Vital Statistics, DPHHS

⁷ 1998-2002, age-adjusted, Montana Tumor Registry, DPHHS



County Seat: Glasgow

Valley County Health Department

501 Court Square; PO Box 11

Glasgow, MT 59230

406-228-6261

Health Officer: Gordon Bell, MD

Valley County contains a portion of the Fort Peck Reservation.

DEMOGRAPHICS	Valley					Montana				
Area	4,921 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	1.5/ sq. mi. (frontier)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	42.6%					54.1%				
Population ² :	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
Gender	3,679	3,737	6,577	697	142	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
Race	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
Age	414	465	392	459	1,730	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	578	1,625	2,003	1,480	5,686	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 7,416					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree		
	84%		16%			87%		24%		
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Farm (18.5%)					Retail trade (12.4%)				
	Incomplete data (18.1%)					State and local government (12%)				
	State and local government (12.5%)					Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)	Retail Trade (10%)					None				
Unemployment Rate ³	3.5%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$30,979					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$26,050					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	13.5%		16%	13%	14%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	5%	13.5%		26%	36%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	16.0%		22.7%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	18% (747)		37% (523)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	11.1 (n = 431)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	12.8 (n = 499)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age:	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
by Gender, Race ¹	40.9	42.5	43.3	26.1	41.7	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
at Death ⁵	75	83	80	65	79	75	81	79	62	78
(number of deaths)	(252)	(247)	(462)	(33)	(499)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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² 2002 Census Bureau estimate.

³ 2003 MT Dept. Labor & Industry.

⁴ 2002 U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis.

⁵ 1998-2002, Office of Vital Statistics, DPHHS.

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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Valley			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women	Teen	All Women				
	37.3 (n=53)	64 (n=431)	36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)				
	1 st Trimester	Adequacy	1 st Trimester	Adequacy				
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	84.5%	68.8%	82.8%	73.2%				
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁵	4.9%		6.8%					
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	4.6		6.8					
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	584.3 (95% C.I. ±66.8)		474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)					
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CLRD		1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE					
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	328.6 (n=128)		221.2 (n=9,913)					
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	220.4		203.4					
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	46.2 (n=18)		24.5 (n=1,097)					
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	23.1 (n=9)		18.5 (n=830)					
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	61.6 (n=24)		55.6 (n=2,490)					
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	12.4% (n=86)		9.8% (n=10,833)					
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	11.4%		17.7%					
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	96% (n=72)		90% (n=2,439)					
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	87.3 (n=34)		207.0 (n=9,277)					
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Valley			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals	CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals	CAH	# beds		
	0	1	25	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA	40	2,902		
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		
	1	0	0	40	20	14		
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic + Enhanced			Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties				
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	Valley County Locations						
	3	Glasgow, Opheim						
	1	Glasgow						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	1 (96 beds)			100 (7,374 beds)				
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)	AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)	AFC	ADC		
	2 (45)	0	1	174 (3,597)	119	63		
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA	Hospice		HHA	Hospice			
	0	0		76	31			
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	1.6	1	0	0	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	6	0	2	0	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	2 dentists		4 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSA: All							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	Mental Health HPSA: Yes				Dental HPSA: None			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: All							

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County Seat: Harlowton

Central Montana Health District

305 W Watson (Nurses); 712 W Main (Other)

Lewistown, MT 59457

406-538-7433; 406-538-8892

Health Officer: Jan Leishman-Donahue

The county is served by a multi-county health department centered in Fergus County.

DEMOGRAPHICS	Wheatland					Montana				
Area	1,423 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	1.5/ sq. mi. (frontier)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	0.0%					54.1%				
Population ² : Gender Race Age	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
	1,074	1,085	2,098	22	39	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
	126	130	136	167	559	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	150	433	595	422	1,600	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 2,159					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree		
	69%		14%			87%		24%		
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Farm (23.6%) State and local government (15.8%) Health care/social assistance (12.1%)					Retail trade (12.4%) State and local government (12%) Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
	(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)					None				
	Incomplete data					None				
Unemployment Rate ³	4.1%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$24,492					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$17,042					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	20.4%		17%	22%	16%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	13%	20.4%		38%	52%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	18.4%		21.3%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	15% (169)		48% (206)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	11.6 (n = 130)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	12.5 (n = 140)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age: by Gender, Race ¹ at Death ⁵ (number of deaths)	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
	41.3	41.4	41.7	44.5	41.4	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
	78	82	81	n/a	81	75	81	79	62	78
	(73)	(67)	(140)	(0)	(140)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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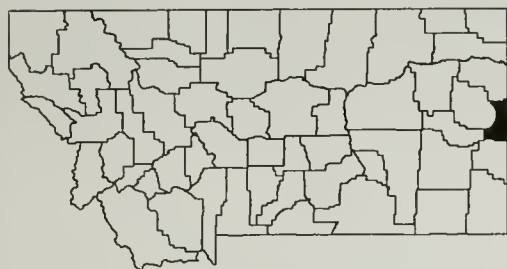
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Wheatland			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women			
	18.9 (n=8)	72.1 (n=130)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)			
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy			
	65.4%	61.2%		82.8%	73.2%			
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	5.4%			6.8%				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	7.7			6.8				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	408.3 (95% C.I. ±99.5)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE				
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	420.2 (n=47)			221.2 (n=9,913)				
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	249.0			203.4				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	44.7 (n=5)			24.5 (n=1,097)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	8.9 (n=1)			18.5 (n=830)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	35.8 (n=4)			55.6 (n=2,490)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	9.8% (n=27)			9.8% (n=10,833)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	9.1%			17.7%				
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	90% (n=17)			90% (n=2,439)				
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	44.7 (n=5)			207.0 (n=9,277)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Wheatland			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds
	0		1	21	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA		40	2,902
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	
	1	0	0		40	20	14	
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic				Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties			
Availability of Emergency Medical Services:	#	Wheatland County Locations						
Basic Life Support Services	0	N/A						
Advanced Life Support Services	1	Harlowton						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	1 (33 beds)				100 (7,374 beds)			
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC
	0 (0)		0	0	174 (3,597)		119	63
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA		Hospice		HHA		Hospice	
	1		0		76		31	
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	Central MT Health District (Fergus Co)				124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	2	0	0	1	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	0 dentists		0 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSA: None							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	Mental Health HPSA: Yes				Dental HPSA: All			
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: None							

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⁷ 1998-2002, age-adjusted, Montana Tumor Registry, DPHHS



County Seat: Wibaux

Wibaux County Health Department

200 S Wibaux Street
Wibaux, MT 59353
406-796-2485

Health Officer: Darryl Espeland, DO

DEMOGRAPHICS	Wibaux					Montana				
Area	889 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	1.1/ sq. mi. (frontier)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	0.0%					54.1%				
Population ² : Gender Race Age	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
	480	515	981	5	9	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
	39	55	59	68	221	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	76	212	269	217	774	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 995					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree		
	77%		16%			87%		24%		
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Farm (34.6%) Incomplete data (23.9%) State and local government (15.5%)					Retail trade (12.4%) State and local government (12%) Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
	(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)					N/A				
Unemployment Rate ³	3.1%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$28,224					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$20,024					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	15.3%		19%	14%	13%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	6%	15.3%		36%	47%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	9.7%		21.9%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	26% (136)		48% (95)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	8.0 (n = 43)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	15.7 (n = 84)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age: by Gender, Race ¹ at Death ⁵ (number of deaths)	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
	42.3	42.4	42.6	9.5	42.3	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
	78	84	81.5	n/a	81.5	75	81	79	62	78
	(32)	(52)	(84)	(0)	(84)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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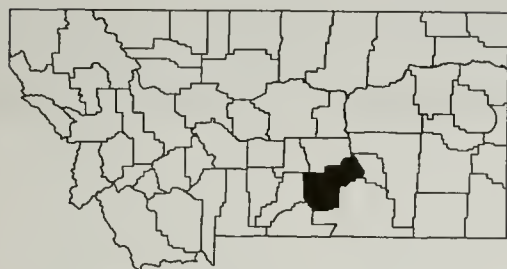
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Wibaux			Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women			
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	10.4 (n=2)	46.9 (n=43)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)			
	1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy			
	81.4%	65.9%		82.8%	73.2%			
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁵	11.6%			6.8%				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	0.0			6.8				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	374.2 (95% C.I. ±145.1)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CLRD			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE				
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	524.1 (n=28)			221.2 (n=9,913)				
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	284.0			203.4				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	37.4 (n=2)			24.5 (n=1,097)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	0 (n=0)			18.5 (n=830)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	56.1 (n=3)			55.6 (n=2,490)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	8.1% (n=15)			9.8% (n=10,833)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	14.4%			17.7%				
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	100% (n=3)			90% (n=2,439)				
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	37.4 (n=2)			207.0 (n=9,277)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Wibaux			Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds	Local Hospitals		CAH	# beds
	0		0	0	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA		40	2,902
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal		RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	
	0	0	0		40	20	14	
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic + Enhanced				Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties			
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	Wibaux County Locations						
	1	Wibaux						
	0	N/A						
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	1 (40 beds)				100 (7,374 beds)			
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)		AFC	ADC
	0 (0)		0	0	174 (3,597)		119	63
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA		Hospice		HHA		Hospice	
	0		0		76		31	
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd
	1	0.125	0	0	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C
	0	0	0	0	881	34	314	264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	0 dentists		0 hygienists		505 dentists		437 hygienists	
Health Care Provider Shortage Status: Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA] Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	Federal HPSA: All							
	Mental Health HPSA: Yes				Dental HPSA: All			
	MUA/MUP: All							

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County Seat: Billings

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The Lockwood Solvents Ground Water Plume NPL Superfund Site is located on the outskirts of Billings. Billings is one of three metropolitan areas in Montana and Montana's largest city (93,882 in 2002).

DEMOGRAPHICS	Yellowstone					Montana				
Area	2,635 square miles					145,552 square miles				
Population Density and Status	50.0/ sq. mi. (urban)					6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)				
Urban Population ¹	83.5%					54.1%				
Population ² :	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other
Gender	64,324	67,511	123,644	4,248	3,943	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058
Race	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18
Age	8,408	8,711	7,549	7,643	32,311	53,422	56,893	52,324	56,138	218,777
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+
	12,765	36,227	32,711	17,821	99,524	93,543	235,792	238,475	123,785	691,595
	Total Population: 131,835					Total Population: 910,372				
Educational Attainment of the Population 25 years or Older ¹	HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree			HS Graduate (or GED)		Bachelor Degree		
	89%		26%			87%		24%		
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs				
	Retail trade (13.3%) Health care/social assistance (12.5%) Accommodation/food services (8.3%)					Retail trade (12.4%) State and local government (12%) Health care/social assistance (10.5%)				
	None					None				
(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)										
Unemployment Rate ³	3.6%					4.7%				
Median Household Income ¹	\$36,727					\$33,024				
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$28,330					\$24,831				
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages		<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+
	11.1%		15%	10%	7%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%
	50%	100%		150%	200%	50%	100%		150%	200%
	4%	11.1%		20%	31%	6%	14.6%		26%	37%
Percent of Population with Health Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	Medicaid		Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare		
	12.4%		15.0%			12.3%		15.4%		
Percent of Persons 21 Years and Older with a Disability (number) ¹	21 - 64		65 and older			21 - 64		65 and older		
	16% (11,740)		41% (6,636)			17% (85,337)		40% (45,284)		
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	13.2 (n = 8,513)					12.2 (n = 54,508)				
Deaths per 1,000 Population ⁵	8.7 (n = 5,621)					9.1 (n = 40,837)				
Median Age:	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All
by Gender, Race ¹	35.7	37.9	37.9	24.6	36.9	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5
at Death ⁵	75	81	78	52	78	75	81	79	62	78
(number of deaths)	(2,775)	(2,845)	(5,478)	(100)	(5,621)	(20,806)	(20,028)	(38,716)	(1,958)	(40,837)

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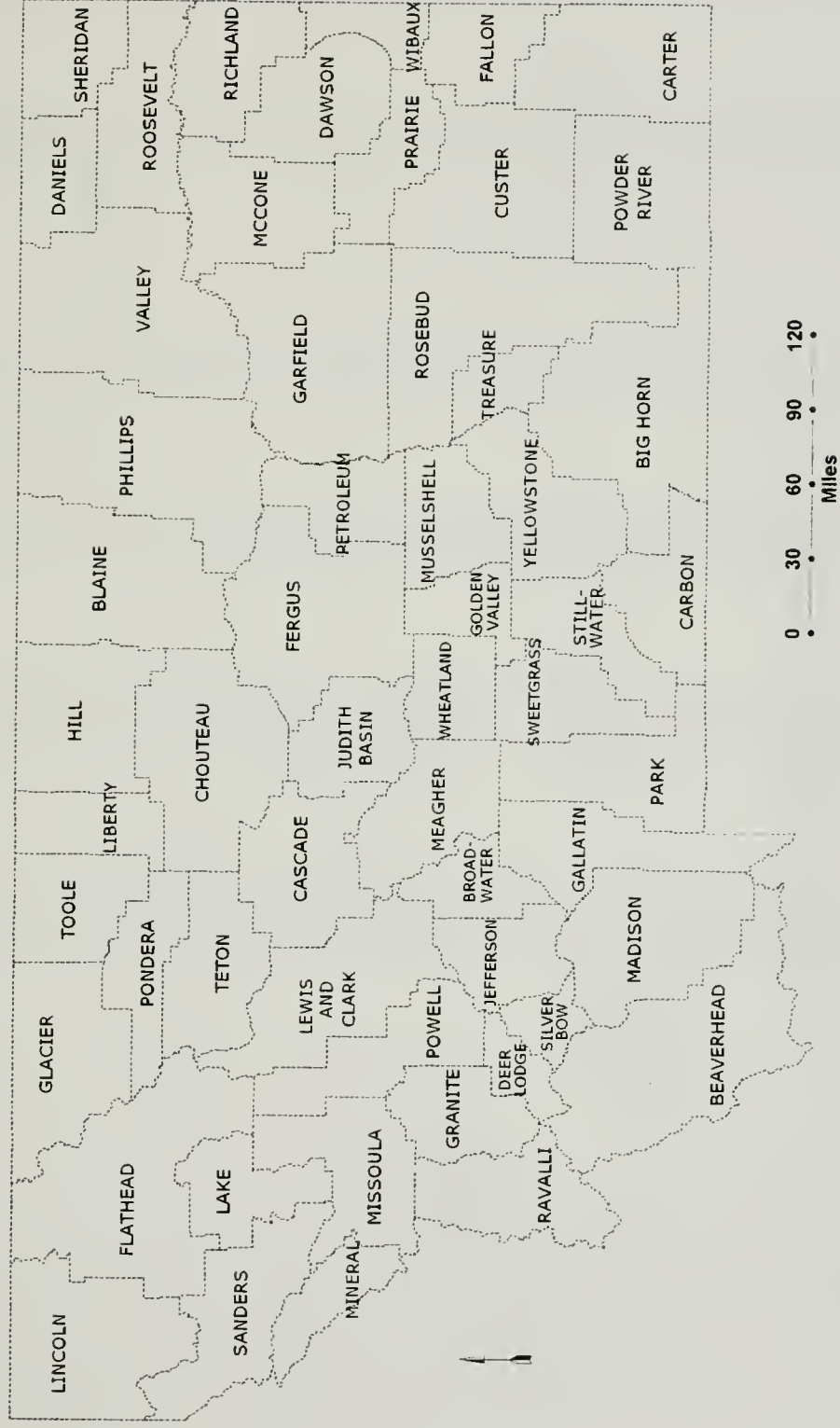
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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Yellowstone			Montana		
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females; all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	Teen	All Women		Teen	All Women	
	38.8 (n=950)	61.6 (n=8,513)		36.2 (n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)	
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester; percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	1 st Trimester	Adequacy		1 st Trimester	Adequacy	
	83.3%	77.6%		82.8%	73.2%	
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶	7.2%			6.8%		
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	7.8			6.8		
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	514.1 (95% C.I. ±17.2)			474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)		
Leading Causes of Death ⁶	1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER 3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE		
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	201.7 (n=1,302)			221.2 (n=9,913)		
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	187.4			203.4		
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	17.2 (n=111)			24.5 (n=1,097)		
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	16.4 (n=106)			18.5 (n=830)		
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	46.3 (n=299)			55.6 (n=2,490)		
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	10.9% (n=1,472)			9.8% (n=10,833)		
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)	19.8%			17.7%		
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	86% (n=142)			90% (n=2,439)		
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	196.5 (n=1,268)			207.0 (n=9,277)		
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Yellowstone			Montana		
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds	Local Hospitals		CAH # beds	Local Hospitals		CAH # beds
	2 local		0 571	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA		40 2,902
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal	RHC	CHC	IHS-Tribal
	0	2	0	40	20	14
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic + Enhanced			Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties		
Availability of Emergency Medical Services: Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services	#	Yellowstone County Locations				
	9	Acton, Billings, Broadview, Custer, Laurel, Shepard, Worden				
	11	Billings				
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)	10 (971 beds)			100 (7,374 beds)		
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses	ALF (# beds)		AFC ADC	ALF (# beds)		AFC ADC
	34 (737)		25 9	174 (3,597)		119 63
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses	HHA		Hospice	HHA		Hospice
	3		2	76		31
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]	PHN	RS	RD HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD HlthEd
	9.75	7	6.5 12.5	124.4	84.5	14.0 41.3
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]	MD/DO	NMW	NP PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP PA-C
	156	5	45 60	881	34	314 264
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	88 dentists		75 hygienists	505 dentists		437 hygienists
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:	Federal HPSA: Yellowstone City-County Health Department (YCCHD)					
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	Mental Health HPSA: YCCHD			Dental HPSA: Low income; YCCHD		
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MUP: CT 1, 3					

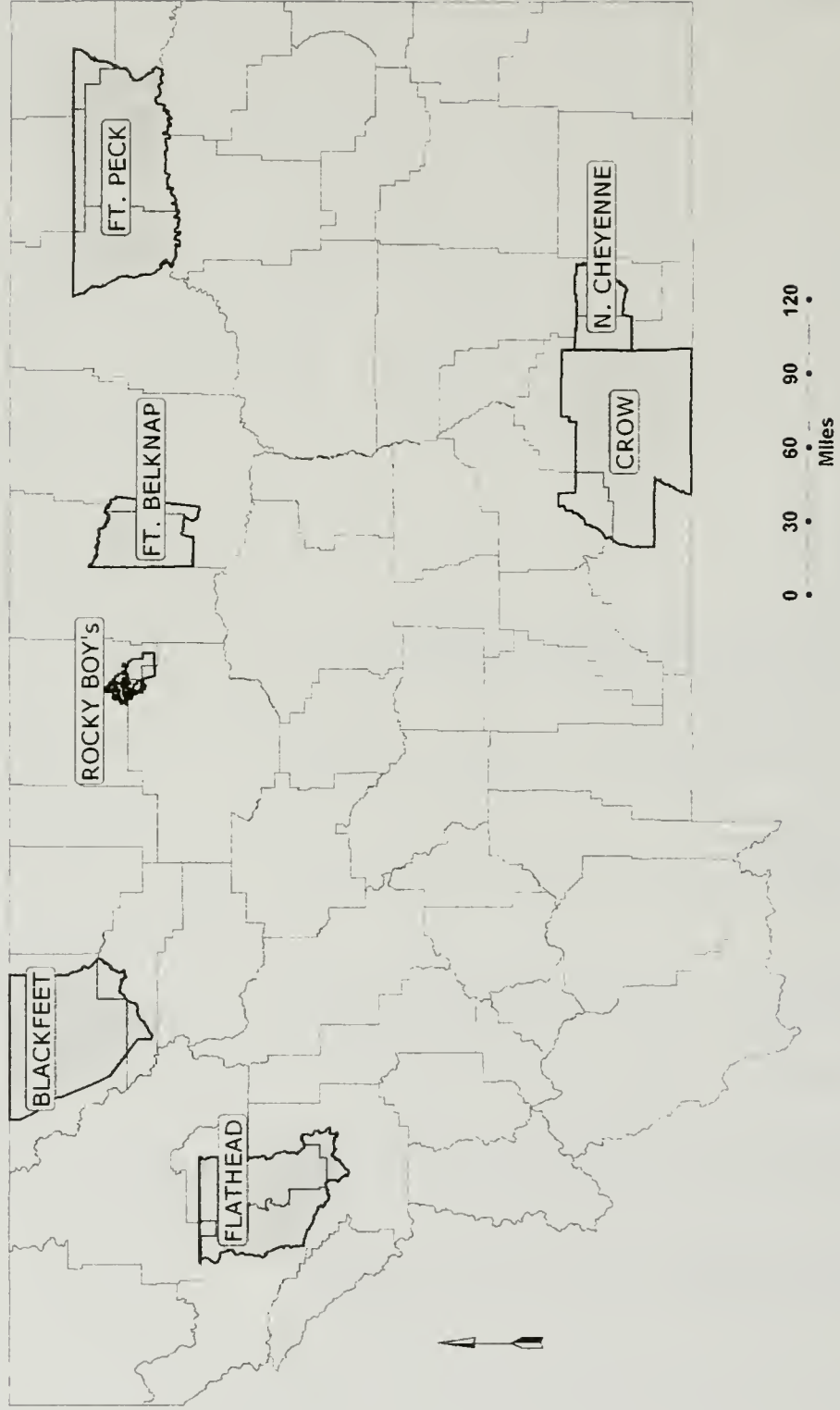
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Montana Counties



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Geographic Area	Population estimates				April 1, 2000	
	July 1, 2003	July 1, 2002	July 1, 2001	July 1, 2000	Estimates base	Census
Montana	917,621	910,372	905,954	903,380	902,195	902,195
Beaverhead County	8,919	8,984	9,082	9,199	9,202	9,202
Big Horn County	12,894	12,814	12,802	12,673	12,671	12,671
Blaine County	6,729	6,830	6,822	6,985	7,009	7,009
Broadwater County	4,430	4,399	4,401	4,374	4,385	4,385
Carbon County	9,770	9,721	9,658	9,556	9,552	9,552
Carter County	1,333	1,355	1,359	1,350	1,360	1,360
Cascade County	79,561	79,597	79,678	80,183	80,357	80,357
Chouteau County	5,576	5,639	5,770	5,981	5,970	5,970
Custer County	11,369	11,428	11,456	11,664	11,696	11,696
Daniels County	1,940	1,949	2,022	2,013	2,017	2,017
Dawson County	8,776	8,739	8,917	9,043	9,059	9,059
Deer Lodge County	8,953	9,074	9,203	9,386	9,417	9,417
Fallon County	2,752	2,723	2,755	2,811	2,837	2,837
Fergus County	11,695	11,664	11,750	11,894	11,893	11,893
Flathead County	79,485	77,441	76,082	74,732	74,471	74,471
Gallatin County	73,243	71,171	69,870	68,292	67,831	67,831
Garfield County	1,233	1,236	1,260	1,267	1,279	1,279
Glacier County	13,250	13,182	13,109	13,204	13,247	13,247
Golden Valley County	1,047	1,074	1,015	1,024	1,042	1,042
Granite County	2,894	2,873	2,873	2,841	2,830	2,830
Hill County	16,350	16,343	16,521	16,630	16,673	16,673
Jefferson County	10,499	10,389	10,214	10,083	10,049	10,049
Judith Basin County	2,192	2,245	2,256	2,337	2,329	2,329
Lake County	27,197	26,984	26,935	26,628	26,507	26,507
Lewis and Clark County	57,137	56,474	56,261	55,874	55,716	55,716
Liberty County	2,055	2,028	2,103	2,149	2,158	2,158
Lincoln County	18,835	18,722	18,709	18,840	18,837	18,837
McCone County	1,818	1,848	1,901	1,965	1,977	1,977
Madison County	6,967	6,961	6,896	6,870	6,851	6,851
Meagher County	1,967	1,933	1,952	1,933	1,932	1,932
Mineral County	3,884	3,820	3,849	3,884	3,884	3,884
Missoula County	98,616	97,882	96,710	96,082	95,802	95,802
Musselshell County	4,464	4,459	4,445	4,498	4,497	4,497

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Geographic Area	Population estimates				April 1, 2000	
	July 1, 2003	July 1, 2002	July 1, 2001	July 1, 2000	Estimates base	Census
Park County	15,840	15,873	15,746	15,729	15,694	15,694
Petroleum County	491	488	479	492	493	493
Phillips County	4,271	4,362	4,446	4,556	4,601	4,601
Pondera County	6,166	6,256	6,356	6,377	6,424	6,424
Powder River County	1,834	1,831	1,813	1,857	1,858	1,858
Powell County	7,006	7,036	7,056	7,181	7,180	7,180
Prairie County	1,154	1,186	1,214	1,188	1,199	1,199
Ravalli County	38,662	37,730	36,928	36,339	36,070	36,070
Richland County	9,155	9,263	9,438	9,626	9,667	9,667
Roosevelt County	10,451	10,428	10,573	10,624	10,620	10,620
Rosebud County	9,303	9,268	9,264	9,383	9,383	9,383
Sanders County	10,455	10,432	10,454	10,253	10,227	10,227
Sheridan County	3,668	3,803	3,944	4,081	4,105	4,105
Silver Bow County	33,208	33,447	33,769	34,526	34,606	34,606
Stillwater County	8,459	8,451	8,374	8,225	8,195	8,195
Sweet Grass County	3,604	3,607	3,605	3,636	3,609	3,609
Teton County	6,369	6,325	6,409	6,438	6,445	6,445
Toole County	5,337	5,424	5,392	5,257	5,267	5,267
Treasure County	735	777	820	854	861	861
Valley County	7,349	7,416	7,535	7,637	7,675	7,675
Wheatland County	2,106	2,159	2,156	2,250	2,259	2,259
Wibaux County	977	995	1,019	1,073	1,068	1,068
Yellowstone County	133,191	131,834	130,528	129,553	129,352	129,352

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Source: Population Division, U.S. Census Bureau

Release Date: April 9, 2004

Annual Estimates of the Population for Incorporated Places in Montana, Listed Alphabetically: April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2003						
Geographic Area	Population estimates				April 1, 2000	
	July 1, 2003	July 1, 2002	July 1, 2001	July 1, 2000	Estimates base	Census
Montana	917,621	910,372	905,954	903,380	902,195	902,195
Alberton town	393	378	381	376	374	374
Anaconda-Deer Lodge County	8,953	9,074	9,203	9,386	9,417	9,417
Bainville town	150	150	152	153	153	153
Baker city	1,647	1,628	1,646	1,679	1,695	1,695
Bearcreek town	83	83	83	83	83	83
Belgrade city	6,816	6,585	6,288	5,845	5,728	5,728
Belt city	615	619	624	631	633	633
Big Sandy town	658	665	680	704	703	703
Big Timber city	1,695	1,695	1,678	1,668	1,650	1,650
Billings city	95,220	93,882	92,674	91,814	91,628	89,847
Boulder town	1,363	1,348	1,324	1,305	1,300	1,300
Bozeman city	30,753	29,475	28,663	27,848	27,619	27,509
Bridger town	759	755	751	745	745	745
Broadus town	446	445	440	451	451	451
Broadview town	150	150	150	150	150	150
Brockton town	241	241	244	245	245	245
Browning town	1,066	1,061	1,055	1,062	1,065	1,065
Butte-Silver Bow (balance)	32,519	32,759	33,073	33,814	33,892	33,892
Cascade town	800	804	809	817	819	819
Chester town	833	822	851	868	871	871
Chinook city	1,325	1,349	1,349	1,381	1,386	1,386
Choteau city	1,776	1,762	1,776	1,783	1,784	1,781
Circle town	593	603	619	640	644	644
Clyde Park town	333	312	311	311	310	310
Colstrip city	2,382	2,347	2,333	2,349	2,346	2,346
Columbia Falls city	3,963	3,837	3,760	3,674	3,656	3,645
Columbus town	1,890	1,860	1,823	1,763	1,750	1,748
Conrad city	2,657	2,693	2,730	2,734	2,753	2,753
Culbertson town	708	706	715	717	716	716
Cut Bank city	3,096	3,082	3,068	3,094	3,105	3,105
Darby town	785	751	727	715	710	710
Deer Lodge city	3,324	3,341	3,350	3,422	3,421	3,421
Denton town	293	294	296	301	301	301
Dillon city	4,035	4,061	4,107	4,150	4,149	3,752
Dodson town	113	116	118	121	122	122
Drummond town	327	325	324	319	318	318

Annual Estimates of the Population for Incorporated Places in Montana, Listed Alphabetically: April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2003						
Geographic Area	Population estimates			April 1, 2000		
	July 1, 2003	July 1, 2002	July 1, 2001	July 1, 2000	Estimates base	Census
Dutton town	385	382	387	389	389	389
East Helena town	1,682	1,647	1,645	1,644	1,642	1,642
Ekalaka town	401	408	409	407	410	410
Ennis town	884	855	846	842	840	840
Eureka town	1,009	1,004	1,006	1,016	1,017	1,017
Fairfield town	652	647	655	658	659	659
Fairview town	671	680	692	706	709	709
Flaxville town	83	84	87	87	87	87
Forsyth city	1,914	1,914	1,917	1,944	1,944	1,944
Fort Benton city	1,502	1,515	1,546	1,598	1,594	1,594
Fort Peck town	229	231	235	239	240	240
Froid town	191	191	194	195	195	195
Fromberg town	498	495	492	486	486	486
Geraldine town	266	269	275	285	284	284
Glasgow city	3,122	3,148	3,196	3,238	3,253	3,253
Glendive city	4,717	4,701	4,796	4,869	4,878	4,729
Grass Range town	148	148	148	149	149	149
Great Falls city	56,155	56,120	56,182	56,564	56,694	56,690
Hamilton city	4,163	3,952	3,841	3,757	3,724	3,705
Hardin city	3,448	3,417	3,413	3,383	3,384	3,384
Harlem city	828	831	826	845	848	848
Harlowton city	977	1,006	1,005	1,057	1,062	1,062
Havre city	9,448	9,437	9,534	9,597	9,621	9,621
Helena city	26,718	26,330	26,188	25,953	25,866	25,780
Hingham town	153	153	155	156	157	157
Hobson city	231	237	237	245	244	244
Hot Springs town	531	532	537	531	531	531
Hysham town	281	297	314	327	330	330
Ismay town	25	26	26	26	26	26
Joliet town	586	583	580	575	575	575
Jordan town	353	354	360	361	364	364
Judith Gap city	153	157	156	163	164	164
Kalispell city	16,391	15,576	15,099	14,666	14,572	14,223
Kevin town	177	185	181	176	178	178
Laurel city	6,292	6,278	6,264	6,236	6,231	6,255
Lavina town	210	216	203	205	209	209
Lewistown city	5,923	5,891	5,934	6,006	6,005	5,813

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Geographic Area	Population estimates				April 1, 2000	
	July 1, 2003	July 1, 2002	July 1, 2001	July 1, 2000	Estimates base	Census
Libby city	2,606	2,590	2,596	2,624	2,626	2,626
Lima town	231	234	237	242	242	242
Livingston city	7,073	7,065	6,983	6,988	6,975	6,851
Lodge Grass town	518	515	515	510	510	510
Malta city	1,974	2,013	2,050	2,100	2,120	2,120
Manhattan town	1,447	1,420	1,418	1,402	1,396	1,396
Medicine Lake town	239	249	258	267	269	269
Melstone town	136	136	135	136	136	136
Miles City city	8,242	8,286	8,310	8,464	8,488	8,487
Missoula city	60,722	59,377	58,282	57,492	57,221	57,053
Moore town	186	184	185	186	186	186
Nashua town	312	315	320	324	325	325
Neihart town	87	88	89	91	91	91
Opheim town	105	106	108	110	111	111
Outlook town	73	76	79	82	82	82
Philipsburg town	939	929	928	918	914	914
Pinesdale town	823	805	774	762	756	742
Plains town	1,169	1,153	1,150	1,129	1,126	1,126
Plentywood city	1,855	1,918	1,984	2,050	2,061	2,061
Plevna town	131	131	133	137	138	138
Polson city	4,497	4,320	4,217	4,129	4,100	4,041
Poplar city	899	897	908	911	911	911
Red Lodge city	2,273	2,252	2,220	2,182	2,177	2,177
Rexford town	153	152	151	151	151	151
Richey town	180	180	185	188	189	189
Ronan city	1,900	1,892	1,865	1,825	1,812	1,812
Roundup city	1,910	1,910	1,906	1,931	1,931	1,931
Ryegate town	271	279	260	263	268	268
Saco town	206	211	216	222	224	224
St. Ignatius town	796	794	797	792	789	788
Scobey city	1,047	1,049	1,086	1,080	1,082	1,082
Shelby city	3,306	3,304	3,315	3,235	3,216	3,216
Sheridan town		672	665	661	659	659
Sidney city	4,512	4,570	4,657	4,753	4,774	4,774
Stanford town	429	439	440	456	454	454
Stevensville town	1,784	1,726	1,638	1,574	1,553	1,553
Sunburst town	413	431	421	409	415	415

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Geographic Area	Population estimates				April 1, 2000	
	July 1, 2003	July 1, 2002	July 1, 2001	July 1, 2000	Estimates base	Census
Superior town	886	875	882	892	893	893
Terry town	589	605	619	606	611	611
Thompson Falls city	1,323	1,321	1,313	1,291	1,289	1,321
Three Forks city	1,823	1,774	1,753	1,734	1,728	1,728
Townsend city	1,914	1,892	1,884	1,864	1,867	1,867
Troy city	963	958	959	965	964	957
Twin Bridges town	405	407	403	401	400	400
Valier town	476	483	492	494	498	498
Virginia City town	130	131	130	130	130	130
Walkerville town	689	688	696	712	714	714
Westby town	153	159	165	171	172	172
West Yellowstone town	1,213	1,200	1,184	1,179	1,177	1,177
Whitefish city	5,784	5,517	5,278	5,118	5,083	5,032
Whitehall town	1,100	1,088	1,069	1,049	1,044	1,044
White Sulphur Springs city	1,010	990	997	985	984	984
Wibaux town	520	529	542	570	567	567
Winifred town	151	152	153	156	156	156
Winnett town	183	183	179	185	185	185
Wolf Point city	2,619	2,612	2,649	2,664	2,663	2,663

Note: The April 1, 2000 Population Estimates Base reflects modifications to the Census 2000 population as documented in the Count Question Resolution program, updates from the Boundary and Annexation Survey, and geographic program revisions. An "(X)" in the Census 2000 field indicates a locality that was formed or incorporated after Census 2000 or was erroneously omitted from Census 2000. Additional information on these localities can be found in the Geographic Change Notes (see "Boundary Changes" under the Geographic Topics section of the Estimates page). Dash (-) represents zero or rounds to zero.

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